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# ALL IS NOT SERENE

### Culberson Finds Some Obstructions in the Carlisle Bill's Way.

## HE DECIDES TO HOLD OFF A FEW DAYS

### Chairman Springer Objects to the State Bank Feature.

## BUTLER IS STILL AFTER TILLMAN

### If He Can Prevent It, the Ex-Governor Will Not Get a Seat in the Senate. Washington Notes.

Washington, December 14.—(Special.)—After polling the banking and currency committee this morning, Judge Culberson decided not to launch his motion to report the Carlisle currency bill at once. The democrats of the committee have been badly divided. They continued the hearing today, but tomorrow will end it. The arguments have been varied and long, and have had the effect of leaving the committee in a tangle. However, the democrats of the committee caucused this evening on the bill and have practically agreed to bring in a report to the house Monday or Tuesday. They hope to call the bill up for action at once and pass it before the holiday adjournment next Saturday.

**Springer Opposes State Banks.**

There are many, however, who fear this may not be possible, but such members of the committee as Chairman Springer, Major Black and Judge Culberson express their determination to rush consideration of the measure, and have action by the house next week, if possible. The democrats of the committee are badly divided, and the republicans are endeavoring to delay action. They are very much opposed to the Carlisle currency bill, because of the state bank currency feature. The fact developed today that the republicans and eastern democrats will make an effort to strike out the state bank feature from the bill when it comes up in the house. Should they succeed in that then the southern men will vote against the bill. The state bank currency feature is the clause of the bill which draws southern democrats to its support. With such rocks ahead in the channel, notwithstanding the effort which will be made to have action upon the measure in the house next week, it may be wrecked. Chairman Springer and Judge Cox predict that a bill will be put through before the Christmas holidays, but they are at right angles, so to speak. Springer wants to strike out the state bank part of the bill, and that is the feature which attracts Judge Cox to it.

**Butler Is Still Fighting Tillman.**

Senator Butler, of South Carolina, has returned. He is after Tillman's scalp yet, and if he can prevent it the newly-elected senator will not take his seat on March 4th. Butler said today: "I do not believe that Mr. Tillman will ever hold a seat in the United States senate. I have taken steps in the South Carolina courts, as you are doubtless aware, to prove the unconstitutionality of the registration laws, and if I gain my point, the legislature will be declared invalid and Mr. Tillman will not be seated. If the courts in the state decide against me, I shall appeal to the United States supreme court, where I am sure I could win in twenty minutes. There is some talk about petitioning the senate to send a committee down to South Carolina. This is not at all necessary. Everybody admits that frauds have been committed. The matter must be fought out in the courts."

**To Change Chickamauga's Name.**

The postoffice department officials, inspired perhaps by some real estate boomers about Chickamauga park, have been preparing to rob the town of Chickamauga of its name and give it to "Lyttle," a town two miles above and within the park proper. The people of Chickamauga have naturally raised a howl of rage. Today Judge Maddox went up to the postoffice department and put in motion a sort of cyclone against the change. Judge Maddox declares it shall not be done, and it is probable that he will have his way in the end, though at present the postoffice department people seem determined upon making the change in the names of the popstoffices.

**More Bonds Probable.**

Since the first of the month about $15,00,000 of gold has been drawn from the treasury and the gold reserve has gone down to the hundred million mark with good prospects of a continued decrease.

Unless congress does something on the financial question at a very early date another bond issue will come. The bankers, of course, want it. Mr. Cleveland has said he would issue bonds as often as he believed there was necessity and it looks now like the fellows who forced the first two issues intend to force a third before congress does anything.

The populists in the senate voted against taking up the sugar bill and against the cloture rule. In explanation Senator Allen, of Nebraska, says they voted against the sugar bill because they considered the movement to get it up in the interest of the speculators and in no wise an effort at serious legislation.

As for the cloture resolution, he says, they voted against it because they believe it purely in the interest of passing the Nicaragua canal bill and the Carlisle currency bill, both of which they will oppose.

Senator Berry, of Arkansas, is devoting his efforts these days to pushing a bill for the establishment of a regular territorial government over the Indian Territory. He wants to call it Indianola and to apportion the lands out among the Indians in severalty; then to throw the territory open and allow the individual Indians, if they choose, to sell their lands. He wants to eventually make a state out of it.

The secretary of agriculture is making a campaign against the distribution of government seed by the congressmen. Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, is aiding him. The latter wants all the seed distributed by the government given out through the agricultural experiment stations in the various states.

Senator Teller, of Colorado, says the senate will do nothing on the financial question and predicts another issue of bonds very soon. The Colorado silver men will oppose any financial scheme that don't provide for the free coinage of silver, and he don's expect any legislation favorable to silver until after the next presidential election. Talk of Mr. Cleveland calling an extra session after March 4th, Mr. Teller says is bosh. "What's the use?" says he. "When one recalls the fact that the house will be republican, the senate evenly divided with the populists in the balance, there seems no use in even gossiping about such a remote improbability."

"Whatever prejudice may have existed against Colonel Breckinridge among his associates in the house seems to have died and received the usual six-root interment," says Colonel Jay Durham. "Crape has been taken off the doorknob, as it were, and the colonel is apparently as good as new. The ban, boycott or decree of ostracism has been lifted. It has not been pulled up like a lower jaw molar, but has gradually risen as a water-soaked piece of worm-eaten timber comes to the surface of a stagnant duck pond.

"In the closing days of the last session, when the sundry civil bill was reported to the house, there was a great roar raised against Mr. Breckinridge having charge of it upon the floor. Many members announced their intention of fleeing to the hills and others expected to take refuge in the underground vaults if they should be brought face to face with such a calamity. It was even more direful than an epidemic, more disastrous than a foreign invasion and more to be dreaded than a dual pest of Dakota grasshoppers and seventeen-year locusts. Even certain members of the appropriations committee joined in the general howl. The protest prevailed and Mr. Sayers took charge of the bill.

"Yesterday, for the first time since participating in the sensational litigation which caused his political demise, Colonel Brenckinridge resumed his old place in active legislation. He had charge of the urgency deficiency bill, just as in the old days. There was no audible roar. Nobody dropped dead and nobody made his escape to the mountains. It was significant as showing the transitory condition of public sentiment. It was the passing of kicks."

Mr. Joseph O'Neill, of Massachusetts, predicts that by 1899 the pension roll will have fallen below $115,000,000 annually. It is now, in round numbers, $150,000,000.

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## A GOOD WEEK'S WORK.

### Three General Appropriation Bills Passed by the House.

Washington, December 14.—The second week of the present session of congress closed with the session of the house today. In that time there have been passed three general appropriations for the year ending June 30th, 1836, carrying a total of $143,718,204, nearly one-half of the annual expenditures of the government, aside from the permanent appropriatons. Besides these, an urgent deficiency bill for the current year has been passed, carrying a total of $2,006,595, making a grand total of $145,724,799. appropriated thus far at this session.

The pension appropriation bill was discussed for four hours today and then passed without amendment. General Grosvenor, republican of Ohio, made the principal speech. Other speakers were, Messrs. Marse, Lacey, Enloe, Baker, Sickles, Mahon, Pickler, Dunn, Hulick, Coombs, Bynum, Cannon, Milligan and O'Niel.

Chairman Outhwaite reported the army appropriation bill for the year ending June 30th, 1896, and it was placed on the calendar.

The resolution introduced by Mr. Hitt asking the secretary of state for the correspondence relating to the promise of this government to pay Great Britain $425,000 on account of claims made by Canadian sealers growing out of the Behring sea seal controversy, was favorably reported from the committee on foreign affairs and passed.

The house then took a recess until 8 o'clock, private pension bills to be considered at the evening session.

The attendance was slender throughout the day and scarcely more than a corporal's guard answered at roll call, at the opening of the session.

## WALKER ASKED RECONSIDERATION

### But His Motion Was Voted Down—The Carlisle Bill.

Washington, December 14.—Before the session of the banking and currency committee began this morning Mr. Walker, republican, of Massachusetts, urged reconsideration of the agreement reached at the secret session yesterday, that a meeting of the committee should be held tomorrow night to consider and report upon the bill to be presented to the house. Mr. Walker protested against any time limit and particularly against undue haste in reporting the bill. He thought that the Carlisle bill had been drawn hastily and that full consideration should be given to whatever measure it was decided to report.

Mr. Walker's motion was lost by a strict party vote, Messrs. Springer, Cox, Ellis, Cobb, Warner, Sperry and Black of Georgia, voting in the negative and Messrs. Walker, Bresius and Johnson of Indiana, in the affirmative.

## WILL SUE THE CITY.

### The Waterworks Company Wants Money from Selma.

Selma, Ala., December 14.—(Special.)—Captain Hugh Haralson, secretary and manager of the Selma water works, called on Mayor Stewart today and wanted to settle with him for the amount the city owed the water company. Mayor Stewart informed him that the city council had appointed a committee to agree how much the city owned the water works. Captain Haralson said that he would not go to see the committee and would have to institute suit to enforce the contract. Mayor Stewart said the city was ready to carry the matter to the courts. The water company has not been fulfilling its contract with the city.

## IN A TRAMP'S DISGUISE.

### John H. Beatty Killed by a Southern Railway Train Near Cohutta.

Chattanooga, Tenn., December 14.—(Special.)—Near Cohutta, Ga., today John H. Beatty, having relatives in the east, was killed by a Southern railway passenger train, and his body now lies in the morgue in this city awaiting advices as to its disposition from his friends. From memoranda in his pocket it is learned that he has relatives living at various places in Pennsylvania and Massachusetts. There can be no doubt that the man is well connected and though he has the appearance of a tramp, it is believed that he simply wanted to take the world on foot for the novelty of it. His hands are delicately formed, and his general appearance, aside from clothes and a rough heavy brown beard, is that of an educated, refined gentleman.

## BELOW THE MARK.

### Gold Reserve Now Amounts to Less Than Ninety-Nine Million.

New York, December 14.—There was $2,000,000 gold withdrawn from the subtreasury today for export to Europe and $1,000,000 for purposes not stated by the parties who withdrew the gold. The gold balance in the treasury tonight, if all withdrawals are calculated, amounts to about $99,000,000.

As bearing upon the foreign exchange situation, it is understood that there was today an unusual inquiry from abroad for corn and meat, and engagements were made for exports aggregating in value $600,000. This will reduce the gold exports by that amount next week.

# A CUT IN SALARIES.

### Carolina Presents One of the Most Remarkable Cases on Record.

## LEGISLATORS REDUCE THEIR PAY

### They Voluntarily Reduce Their Per Diem from $5 to $3.

## ONLY $2,200 FOR THE GOVERNOR

### Chief Justices of the Supreme Court Reduced from $4,000 a Year to $2,000. The Senate Mag Kill the Bill.

Columbia, S. C., December 14.—The lower house of the state legislature tonight killed the divorce bill and then jumped into the consideration of the bill making a horizontal slash of all salaries of state officers. After a big fight, the bill was passed. Some five or six aye and nay votes were taken on various amendments. The majority was really goaded into passing the bill by arments from the opposition that they had been in power for four years and this matter of reducing salaries had always been one of their principal campaign cries, yet they had not cut salaries one cent lower than they were before they came in.

They even went so far tonight as to amend the bill by cutting their own per diem from $5 to $3 and their mileage from 10 cents to 5 cents a mile each way. Representative Sanders offered an amendment to make it 50 cents per day and three pounds of Bacon and a peck of meal per week. It is the general opinion that the senate will kill the bill.

One of the reform leaders said on the floor that if they did not reduce the salaries and give the people the relief they demanded "they were gone." The highst annual salary provided for by the bill is $2,200—the governor's salary. It has been heretofore for years $3,500. The chief justice of the supreme court comes down from $4,000 to $2,000.

During the fight the hall was jammed with interested spectators. Whether the senate will pass the bill or not remains to be seen. It is thought that Governor Evans will veto it even if it becomes an act. The present governor's salary is protected by a constitutional provision. The state senate has killed the bill to establish a blind asylum and educational institution at the capital of the state.

## GONE HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

### Alabama Legislators Take a Recess. They Meet Again in January.

Montgomery, Ala., December 14.—(Special.) The general assembly of Alabama adjourned tonight for the holiday recess, after a session of thirty-one days, to reassemble on January 22d. The first half of the session was, according to programme, devoted to the consideration of local bills. No general laws of importance have been enacted, but a multitude of county measures have been disposed of. A United States senator has been elected, state officers have been inaugurated, the tax rate of the state has been increased half a mill, the bars have been let down and several mutual fire insurance companies have been licensed, but little else in the way of general legislation has been done.

Many important general measures will come up at the last half of the session. Among these will be the proposed changes in the election law, changes in the system of tax assessment and other ways of raising revenue, a contest election law, beside the vexing convict question and the law regulating state banks, which will be passed in anticipation of the action of the federal congress in repealing the 10 per cent tax.

Alabama could receive no benefit from the repeal as the law now stands. The democrats, by a strange coincidence, have exactly two-thirds majority in the house and exactly the same majority in the senate, hence they have things their own way.

## WILL NOT USE A PASS.

### The Chances Are That He Will Blow Out the Gas.

Chattanooga, Tenn., December 14.—(Special.)—Edward Dudley Duncan, representative-elect from Washington county, left Johnson City this morning to tramp the whole way to Nashville, a distance of 350 miles. He expects to arrive there in time for the first roll call of the new legislature, January 7th. He received a railroad pass, but declares he will not put himself under obligations to any corporation. Mr. Duncan is a republican, twenty-eight years of age and came from Boston to Tennessee five years ago.

## A NEW PAPER AT RALEIGH.

### Marion Butler Is President of the Publishing Company.

Raleigh, N. C., December 14.—(Special.)—This morning the Caucasian Publishing Company was organized and chartered here with $20,000 capital, its stockholders being prominent populists and republicans. Though it will publish a populist organ it will have hearty republican support. Marion Butler is president of the company, and will be editor-in-chief of The Daily and Weekly Caucasian, the first issue of which will appear here January 6th..

It is learned today positively that Zeb Vance Walzer, republican, will be elected speaker of the next house of representatives. Enough members have pledged him their support to assure his election.

In the United States circuit court here this evening a verdict for $2,277 was given in the suit of the Mount Holly Phosphate Company, of Charleston, S. C., for $10,000 damages against the Caraleigh phosphate mills, of Raleigh.

The state board of canvassers was heard today in chambers here before Judge Bynum, the defendant in mandamus proceedings brought by Claude M. Bernard, fusion nominee for solicitor in the third district, to compel the board to count for him 2,100 votes entered on the returns as cast for him as solicitor of the fourth district, and also 342 votes cast for Claude M. Bernard. Theboard had decided that its duties were purely ministerial and that it had no power to correct clerical errors. Counsel for John E. Woodward, the democratic nominee for solicitor, argued that Bernard has mistaken his remedy and that the proper one is quo warranto to try the title to the office.

Governor Carr has appointed Dr. J. H. Williams, of Richmond county, as delegate from North Carolina to the cotton growers' convention, at Jackson, Miss., which begins on January 2d.

The ex-republican state chairman, J. J. Mott, who is a prominent candidate for the United States senatorship, is here. He says that unquestionably Marion Butler will be elected senator for the long term and that there will be no break by republicans in the legislature to interfere with this arrangement. There is great division as to who will be the republican senator, but he will come from what is known as the western division of the state. Butler is from the east and is naturally the successor to Ransom. Friends of Marion Butler deny positively that he has told any one he would vote with the republicans in organizing the senate.

## DEBS GETS SIX MONTHS.

### The Case Will Be Appealed—What Attorney Darrow Says.

Chicago, December 14.—Judge Woods today sentenced Eugene V. Debs, the leader of the American Railway Union strike, to six months in the county jail, as a punishment for violating the injunction issued by himself and Judge Grosscup, July last. To the rest of the men, with the exception of McVean, he gave three months. In the case of McVean, sentence is suspended. Sentence is not cumulative, covering the cases of the government and the Santa Fe railroad against the men. The same sentence is imposed in each case, but the sentences begin and end at the same time, December 24th. The defendants are: E. V. Debs, president; G. W. Howard, vice president; Sylvester Kelliher, secretary; L. W. Rodgers, M. J. Elliott, James Hogan, William Burns, J. D. McVean, Leroy M. Goodwin. The sentence is generally considered a light one. The case will be appealed.

In speaking of the decision Attorney Darrow, who represented the defendants, said: "The decision is bad law, but the sentence is remarkably lenient."

Mr. Howard said he was prepared to expect anything.

President Debs was more cast down than any of the others. It was in the discretion of the court to sentence them to any term of years he chose within constitutional limits and to impose any fine he thought fit.

## HAD A SUBSTITUTE.

### General Wei Procures a Chinaman Willing to Be Beheaded.

London, December 14.—The correspondent of the Central News at New-Chwang telegraphs that the Japanese are within thirteen miles of Southport.

A dispatch from Nankin says Li Hung Chang's nephew, Chang, has been arrested for peculation and his property has been seized.

A Tien-Tsin dispatch says an order has been issued for the arrest of Li Hung Chang's son-in-law for fraudulent practices.

Sheng-Tao-Tai, of Tien-Tsin, is reported to have been dismissed from office on account of his inability to raise a war loan. He will be succeeded by Wang-Fah-Woong.

A dispatch from Shanghai says that General Wei, who is supposed to have been executed for cowardice at Ping Yang, is in prison at Peking. He admits that the man beheaded as General Wei was procured at his instigation to represent him.

## OVER THE PREMIER'S REMAINS.

### Requiem Mass Was Celebrated in London Yesterday.

London, Dcember 14.—Requiem mass was celebrated over the body of Sir John Thompson in Mary chapel, in Spanish place, this morning. The service lasted forty-five minutes. At the conclusion of the mass mourners and friends passed around the coffin and looked upon the face of the dead premier. The coffin was removed this afternoon to the private mortuary of Messrs. Garstin & Sons, in Welbeck street, where it will remain until December 18th, when it will be taken to Liverpool and placed on board the steamer Majestic. Two plaster casts of the features of the dead statesman were taken early this morning. One of them was ordered by the Canadian government and the other by the family of the deceased.

Nothing is officially known as yet in regard to the suggestion of conveying the body to Halifax on board a warship, but it is understood the government is willing that it should be done.

**Bowell Will Form a Cabinet.**

Ottawa, Ont., December 14.—The report sent out last night that Hon. Mackenzie Bowell has been directed by the governor general to form a new cabinet is officially confirmed this morning. Mr. Bowell told his excellency in effect that while fully realizing the difficulties and responsibilities in assuming so important a duty, he could not, appreciating the mark of confidence reposed in him by this request, decline the responsibility of acceding to it, and would, at the first possible opportunity, consult with his colleagues and report to his excellency. Bowell added that as some of his colleagues would not arrive in the city until next week he would have to ask sufficient time to enable him to consult with all those with whom he had not already conferred. This request was readily acceded to by his excellency.

## SITUATION IN SAMOA.

### No Disturbance Yet, but It Is Thought the Natives Mean War.

Vancouver, B. C., December 14.—The latest Samoan advices brought here by the steamer Warrimoo, say that state political unrest continues although there has been no outbreak for some time. The natives throughout the whole of the island are busily engaged in making copra. The oldest residents say they never worked so hard. They are not, however, spending a tithe of what money they receive, so that it is believed they are hoarding it up for trouble which is expected to again arise when they will be in position to pay for supplies. No attempt is being made to collect taxes.

## SEELEY DECLINES TO TALK,

### Saying the Newspapers Have Already Printed Too Much About Him.

Pittsburg, Pa., December 14.—Samuel C. Seeley, the New York bank defaulter, accompanied by United States Deputy Marshal Donnelly passed through Pittsburg this morning on the limited express en route for New York. Seeley declined to talk to reporters, saying that already too much had been said in the newspapers concerning his case.

**Sustained the Demurrer.**

San Francisco, Cal., December 14.—The supreme court this morning sustained the demurrer to the petition of Chairman Cornwall, of the republican state central committee, for a writ of mandamus to compel the election commissioner to disregard the returns from a large number of precincts in this city on the ground of fraud. If those returns were not counted, Estee would be elected governor.

**Swallowed the Drug.**

Jacksonville, Fla., December 11.—At Tampa today Emma Costello, a dissolute woman, committed suicide by taking laudanum. She was drunk when she swallowed the drug.

# MERIT HAD NO SHOW

### Creedon Waited for Years to Be Promoted on His Record.

## TIME AND AGAIN HE WAS PASSED BY

### Finally He Had to Pay $15,000 to Get the Position.

## JUSTICE VOORHIS GOT THE MONEY

### Goff Unearths One of the Greatest Sensations of the Investigation—The Crowd Cheered Enthusiastically.

New York, December 14.—Policeman Gus Thorne was indicted by the grand jury this morning for complicity in the bribery in which ex-Captain Stephenson was convicted, and also for perjury, on account of his testimony given at the trial. The indictments were filed at 1 o'clock and by 2 o'clock Thorne was in custody. He was arraigned later in oyer and terminer to plead to the charges.

An eager throng of people crowded around the superior court, where the Lexow committee is in session, this morning, anxious to hear the testimony about Police Captain Creedon, who is accused of having paid $15,000 for being promoted to a captaincy. A score of policemen, all under subpoena, and Captains Allaire, Strauss and Schmittberger were present.

Captain Schmittberger was the first witness called. His counsel, William F. Howe, was present, and Schmittberger referred all questions to Howe before replying. To a question from Mr. Goff: "How much did you pay for your appointment?" Howe objected upon the ground that his client was already under indictment.

The objection held good and Schmittberger left the stand and Captain Creedon took his place.

The proceedings thenceforward became of the most sensational character. Captain Creedon denied yesterday that he had paid for his appointment as captain. Today he declared that, after consultation with his family and friends, he had decided to make a clean breast of the matter. He then told in detail the story of how he paid $15,000 to be appointed a captain. The money, he declared, was raised at the suggestion of John W. Reppenhagen, a leader of the New York democracy, who told him the gift was at Commissioner Voorhis's disposal, and he (Creedon) could get it by paying $12,000.

Creedon said he went to Barney Rourke, who straightway raised a subscription on notes which the soon-to-be captain signed in blank. After the $12,000 was raised, Creedon was told he would have to get $3,000 more, as $12,000 had been offered by Sergeant Wiegand, of the ninth precinct. The additional sum was raised and after a talk with Commissioner Voorhis, during which he denied all knowledge of any fund having been raised, he received his appointment.

The $15,000 was handed over to Reppenhagen a few days after Creedon received his appointment.

The captain was visibly agitated during the recital of his story and declared that for years he had hoped to get promotion on his merits, but he had been ignored, though he had three times passed the civil service examination with a high percentage. He told of being approached once and being informed that he could have an appointment to a captaincy by paying $6,000. He refused, but later had to bow down to the system, knowing it was rotten and corrupt, or remain a sergeant all his life.

The courtroom was crowded to its utmost capacity, and when Mr. Goff, in concluding the examination of Captain Creedon, thanked him in behalf of the committee, and declared that in consideration of his record and the service he had rendered to his country, he would not be disturbed in his precinct, there was a burst of applause from the spectators which continued for some time.

**Creedon Suspended.**

After Reppenhagen had been recalled and confirmed the story of Captain Creedon, news was received in the courtroom that the police commissioners, acting on the advice of Superintendent Byrnes, had suspended Captain Creedon from duty. There was much excitement for a time, and after a hasty conference with the senate committee, Mr. Goff announced that he had issued subpoenas for the police commissioners and Superintendent Byrnes to explain their action.

The spectators rose en masse at this announcement and cheered for several minutes.

Later Police Commissioner Martin and Superintendent Byrnes took the stand. They declared that when they decided to suspend Creedon they had not heard of the committee's recommendation that he be retained on the force. In view of this recommendation they stated that steps would be taken tomorrow to rescind their hasty action.

This statement was also greeted with applause from the spectators, whose sympathies were all with Creedon.

Reppenhagen's testimony, under the sweating process that Goff applied, showed that he paid $10,000 of the money to ex-Assemblyman John Martin, who was known as the dispenser of Commissioner Voorhis's patronage. The other $5,000 he retained himself. Reppenhagen knew the money was to be used as a bribe, and the man who had the power of appointment was John R. Voorhis. There was no understanding between Martin and the witness as to what Martin should do with the $10,000. Martin told him to keep $5,000.

"We have subpoenaed Mr. Martin," said Mr. Goff, "and have just received a message from him that he has been paralyzed since the last election." He is now a saloon keeper.

When Captain Creedon concluded his testimony Mr. Goff said: "Captain, the committee desire me to express their sympathy with you in the unfortunate position in which you are placed. They also desire me to say that they think public interest would not be served by disturbing you in your present position as a police captain."

There was a great cheer at this. Then Captain Creedon shook hands with all the senators heartily and with Mr. Goff. Another great cheer and hand-clapping took place as he left the stand.

The former police commissioner, John R. Voorhis, is now Police Justice John R. Voorhis, of the Jefferson market court.

He was interviewed this afternoon and denounced as false Reppenhagen's statement about the $10,000. He knew nothing about the matter that Captain Creedon and Reppenhagen had testified to, and characterized the story as ridiculous.

**Sketch of the Parties.**

Justice and Police Commissioner Voorhis has been a prominent figure in New York city politics for a generation, although he has rather dropped out of public notice in the past year or two. The most important position he ever held was that of police commissioner. He exerted an autocratic control over the "county democracy" in the ninth assembly district, and he was a very considerable figure in the general organization. In 1890 he refused to follow the county democracy in supporting the ticket of the People's Municipal League, because there were some republicans in it, and he lost the county's support. He claimed to be too much of a reformer to go into Tammany hall, however, and he formed what was called the "New York democracy." This organization extended through the county, but Mr. Voorhis was so completely pre-eminent in it that it was generally known as the "Voorhis democracy." For a year or two the organization maintained a more or less active existence as an ally of Tammany hall.

Ex-Assemblyman John Martin, or "Honest John," Martin, as he has been called, keeps a saloon at Bleecker and Jones streets. He was found sitting in the store this afternoon by a reporter. When informed of the testimony given before the committee he was stunned and took a full minute before replying.

"The story, so far as it relates to me, is false," he said. "I never had $15,000 or $10,000 in my life. I am a very sick man today and not able to talk much. I never handled a dollar of Captain Creedon's money, nor did I ever act for anybody else."

"Honest John" Martin was for a long time Voorhis's righthand man. He is exceedingly familiar with all sorts of Albany political business. He went into the liquor business two or three years ago.

John W. Reppenhagen is an old-time rumseller, and the basement under his saloon was one of the most notorious places in Chrystie street before the Parkhurst era began. Of late he has been a state democrat and a "reformer."

Captain Creedon has always been looked upon as a most efficient officer. He also has a war record of which any man might be proud. When the war broke out he enlisted in the Second New York state militia, afterwards known as the Eighty-second New York state volunteers. He served from May 18, 1861, until June 15, 1864, when he was retired for disability with the rank of sergeant. He fought in twenty-three battles. On October 14, 1863, when the fighting was hottest, at Bristow station, he was shot clear through the body. The bullet entered his left shoulder and passed through his body and knapsack. He was left on the field for dead, but managed to drag himself thirteen miles to Manassas Junction, whence he was carried to the hospital at Alexandria, where he lay for months. He was made a policeman October 5, 1864, and remained twelve years in the eighteenth precinct. He was promoted to be roundsman April 4, 1876, and a sergeant August, 1879. He was made a captain on January 12, 1892. He celebrated his thirtieth anniversary on the police force October 5th, last.

## GUILTY OF MURDER.

### A Young Negro Who Killed Another Convicted.

Americus, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—Ed Westbrook, a young negro, was convicted of murder by a jury in the superior court here today without recommendation and will, therefore, hang for his crime, unless there is executive interference. He met another negro boy on a plantation near Americus one day about two months ago, and after a few words killed him with a shotgun. Westbrook claimed that the discharge was accidental, but the only witness present, another negro boy, gave testimony to its being a most cold-blooded murder. This is the second verdict of murder this week, Will Murray being convicted yesterday. Both will probably be sentenced to hang in January.

## ROBBED ON THE HIGHWAY,

### A Farmer Covered with Pistols and Asked for His Money.

Bristol, Tenn., December 14.—A bold highway robbery occurred within one mile of Greenville, Tenn., yesterday forenoon. Smith Baylor, a farmer, was held up and robbed of $1,500 by masked highwaymen. The robbers covered Baylor with pistols and after securing his money took to the woods. Baylor had gone to Greenville during the early morning to close the sale of his farm, and the money taken was the first payment in the deal. It is evident that the robbers resided in the community, and were thoroughly conversant with the sale. Baylor returned to town, and related the story of the robbery, when a posse went in pursuit of the highwaymen.

## PLACED LIGHTS ON THE TRACK,

### But When the Train Proved to Be a Freight the Robbers Fled.

Lincoln, Neb., December 14.—A special from Mansfield, a small town on the Burlington's northwestern extension in a wild prairie region of Dawes county, gives meager particulars of an attempt at train robbing, eight miles north of there, early yesterday morning. The engineer noticed red lights on the track and stopped, but at that moment the light was extinguished and a party of mounted men could be heard riding rapidly away. The train was a freight. It is supposed that when the would-be robbers discovered this they rode off. The passenger occasionally carries large amounts of gold from the black hills region.

## TROOPS UNDER ORDERS

### To Go to the Scene of the French-Eversole War.

Frankfort, Ky., December 14.—Governor Brown has ordered Colonel E. N. Gaither, of the Second Kentucky regiment, to repair to Hazard, Perry county, where the French-Eversole war has broken out again. The governor is in constant telegraphic communication with the scene of trouble. The trouble grows out of the shooting in the courthouse when Judge Hall narrowly escaped being killed. Jesse Fields and Joe Adkins, who caused the trouble in the courtroom, are still in the mountains and are armed to the teeth.

## SENTENCED TO DEATH.

### A Train Robber to Be Executed in Arizona.

Phoenix, Ariz., December 14.—Oscar Rogers, Armor's confederate in the robbing of a Southern Pacific train near Mariopoosa, has received a sentence of death in the district court of Pinal county. The date of execution is set for February 8th. It is the first case of the infliction of the territorial statutory penalty for train robbing, which was passed by the last legislature. Armor was allowed to plead guilty of simple robbery and was given a sentence of thirty years' imprisonment.

## KILLED HIS COMPANION.

### One School Boy Shoots Another Through the Heart.

Athens, Tenn., December 14.—(Special.)—Robert Maxwell, a school boy, was shot here this afternoon by Ed Bloom, one of his young companions. Bloom had a pistol in his pocket and when a dispute came up over a game of ball, he drew it and shot Maxwell twice very deliberately. One shot pierced the heart and killed Maxwell instantly. Both were very young.

**Held Up a Mail Carrier.**

Washington, December 14.—Chief Postoffice Inspector Wheeler has received a telegram from New Orleans stating that J. E. Truitt had been arrested by the local authorities for holding up a mail carrier and robbing the mail, between Williamsburg and Ellisville, Miss., on the 8th instant.

# STREET CARS STOP.

### Conductors and Drivers Go on Strike in Washington.

## A HEAVY CUT IN WAGES THE CAUSE.

### Department Clerks Have to Walk Home After a Hard Day's Work.

## THE CROWDS OVERTURN THE CARS.

### Police Go Out to Keep the Line Open But Fail, as the People Sympathize With the Strikers.

Washington, December 14.—Washington has a big street railroad strike on its hands. The road affected is the Metropolitan Street Railroad Company, which traverses the best residential part of the city and communicates with the capitol. The strike took place at about 4 o'clock this afternoon at the time of the heaviest traffic, when thousands of government employes were leaving the various executive departments for their homes.

It was brought about by a notification given the drivers and conductors last night that their wages would be cut down from $2.03 per day to $1.68. Further than this, the men have a grievance with regard to the number of hours they work. Twelve hours are supposed to constitute a day's service, but the men claim that they are compelled to work from thirteen to fourteen hours without relief or intermission or the privilege of leaving the car even for five minutes for meals or for any other purpose.

The striking employes have the full sympathy of Washington people. Some years ago congress enacted a law providing that this and other companies dispense with horses and provide some other motive power. The other chief railroad complied with the conditions, but the Metropolitan company, on various pretexts, secured an extension of time. Senator Hale and others roundly denounced the company in the senate and congress made it obligatory on the company to change its motive power within a few months. The expense entailed by this change is one of the reasons given by the company for taking the cost out of the wages of their employes.

At 5 o'clock all the streets traversed by the road were blockaded with driverless cars. The president of the company came to the scene and by threats and cajolements attempted to get the cars going. The police was brought into play and one or two cars were started by their aid. After they had been moved the crowd became somewhat disorderly and surged around the leading car until the police used main force to clear the streets. A patrol wagon was called out and drove through the street to keep a clear way. Stalwart-looking men rushed up to the front car, placed their shoulders to the rear platform and lifted it off the track, then disappeared in the crowd. This seemed to be a signal for more such work. All the way down the line cars were lifted from the track and placed at various angles until the climax was reached at Thirteenth and F streets, where one car was hauled directly across the street. The crowds were all with the strikers and when President Phillips appeared along the tracks he was greeted with hoots and jeers.

The road remained blocked for several hours, when finding that the men could not be prevailed upon to continue their trips, the cars were returned to the barns.

Late tonight a conference was held between the strikers and railroad officers and an agreement was reached. The men compromised on $1.75 per day of twelve hours. All the strikers will be taken back. The line will resume its operations tomorrow morning as usual.

**Accepted the Reduction.**

Pittsburg, December 14.—The coal miners employed by Henry Floersheim, at his Nottingham works, on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, have accepted the proposed reduction of 9 cents a ton in wages, pending a settlement for the Pittsburg district. This is the first break of the miners in the district and the action was taken without consultation with the officials of the miners' organization.

## FACTIONS IN A COLLEGE.

### Some of the Students Protest Against a New President.

Richmond, Va., December 14.—(Special.)—There is an interesting fight going on here resulting from the election last Wednesday of a president for Richmond college. This is the leading Baptist educational institution in the south. The president of the board of trustees is Hon. John L. M. Curry, late American minister to Spain. The college has not had a president since the war. Recently, however, it was determined to create the place, and Professor Boatwright, a twenty-seven-year-old alumnus, was elected over the heads of some of the most prominent Baptist educators in the state. The selection of the young president has raised up two bitter factions in the college, one of which is in favor of the new president, and the other antagonistic to him. Many of the students refuse to return next session unless the board shall undo its work. Hon. William L. Wilson was offered the presidency of Richmond college about two years ago, but declined it.

## AN INHUMAN TEACHER

### Tortures a Boy with Hot Tongs Because He Was Dull.

Norfolk, Va., December 14.—Dr. R. L. Miller, of Norfolk county, was today arrested in this city for torturing a small white boy with hot tongs and shovel because he failed to learn his lessons. The accused admits burning the child and his only excuse for it is that the boy was very bad.

## MURDER NEAR DALLAS.

### An Old Negro and His Wife Placed in Jail.

Dallas, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—The body of a negro named James King was found hid beneath a pile of brush, near Dallas, on Tuesday. The discovery was made by some parties who had missed King for sometime, and had grown suspicious. Hamp Hall, an old negro, with whom King lived, accompanied the searchers to the brish heap and then ran off. He was caught after being chased a mile. He and his wife are in jail. It is believed that Hall was jealous of King and killed him.

**Burning of a Courthouse.**

Lewiston, Ill., December 14.—The courthouse at this place was totally burned early this morning. Most of the records were saved. The building was erected in 1839 and Abraham Lincoln delivered a famous speech in it in 1858. Loss on building, $5,000.

**Death of Father Denza.**

Rome, December 14.—Father Denza, director of the vatican observatory, died this morning from apoplexy, with which he was stricken as he was leaving the presence of the pope after an audience with his holiness last evening.

# RETAIL TRADE GOOD.

## Christmas Shoppers Make It Lively for the Clerks.

## WHOLESALE MERCHANTS FIND IT DULL.

### The Output of the Iron Manufacturers Increases, but the Sales Do Not Keep Pace.

New York, December 14.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"There is the expected slackening in wholesale and jobbing lines customary immediately preceding Christmas holidays. At some points stock-taking has begun and at others will soon begin. With few exceptions, sales of Christmas specialties, notions and fancy groceries by jobbers and at retail show the only activity in the movement of merchandise, and no improvement is expected until the new year.

"All larger eastern centers, except Pittsburg and Buffalo, report trade quiet or dull. Eastern woolen manufacturers have discounted the expected effects of the change in the wool tariff on January 1st. Philadelphia shoe dealers report trade unexpectedly active.

"Throughout the northwest the volume of business has, with occasional exceptions, been smaller than usal, due to unseasonable weather. Cities throughout the Central west and further west report a moderate volume of trade, with no prospect of improvement this month.

"General trade south is very quiet, except for Christmas specialties. Mercantile collections at central southern cities are better than had been expected. In staple lines the distribution of fancy groceries, dry goods, and of clothing, leads. The feature at New Orleans is the revival of exports of bulk grain. On the Pacific coast general business is rather better than previously."

**What Dun & Co. Say.**

R. G. Dunn & Co.'s weekly review of trade will say tomorrow:

"Contradictory changes in business are quite in order at this season. Neither the larger orders in some branches, nor the depressions of prices in others, afford a safe indication of the general movement. But the working force does not lessen more than usual for the time of year, the demand for goods does not seem to diminish, though in most departments it is considerably below the capacity of works in operation, and the volume of business transacted is a little larger in comparison with last year than in November.

"The detailed reports regarding the chief industries are not altogether encouraging. The iron output increased during the month of November and was 168,762 tons weekly December 1st, against 162,666 November 1st, but the increase in stocks unsold was 50,149 tons, which average 11,700 tons per week, indicating that the increase in production during the month of November was not supported by the demand for products. Accordingly prices have been declining, the general average of articles quoted being only 54.9 of the average in October, 1890, against 55.7 on the 1st of December. The Pittsburg market shows most weakness, Bessemer pig being quoted at $10.15 and gray forge offered at $9.30, and bar iron selling at 90 cents, but in structural forms the eastern demand is sufficiently large to cause a slight advance in beams.

"Cotton goods are demoralized by some reduction, and by the announcement of a great auction sale of 27,000 pieces by Bliss, Fabyn & Co., and the irregularity in various staples increased although print cloths are steady.

"Money comes to New York in large amounts, making the transfers by the treasury to New Orleans look a little fanciful, and no increase appears in the demand for commercial loans, except in transactions on account of the sugar trust in order to carry out certain purchases of the gas party in Brooklyn. Hardly ever has there been as little call for strictly commercial uses as at this time. Exports of gold for the week will amount to $3,500,000, and there has been considerable selling of American securities on London account, and as long as this continues outgoes of gold must be expected.

"The failures for the past week have been 349 in the United States, against 339 last year, and 40 in Canada against 40 last year."

### METHODISTS AT WAYCROSS.

### A Committee Appointed to Try G. B. Allison for Immorality.

Waycross, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—Bishop A. W. Wilson administered the Lord's supper to the South Georgia conference last night, after which the South Georgia Relief Association held a meeting. The members of the association are assessed $3 a year each for the maintenance of the families of deceased ministers in the bounds of the conference. The committee on relief reported the financial condition of the association as unusually encouraging.

The examining board was in session and several applicants for admission to the conference were examined. This morning the conference was opened by Bishop Wilson. Several more delegates arrived last night and the attendance this morning was larger than it was yesterday. The presiding elders and deacons reported the condition of their respective districts and charges. As a rule these reports were encouraging. The various committees were in session today and they will continue their work until they have finished all the business that is to be done. The board of foreign missions will make some important recommendations and several changes will be made in the home mission field. The report of the committee on home missions will be unusually interesting this year. The growth of the work since the last conference was held has been encouraging. A greater interest has been taken in home missions by all the churches this year than usual.

The names of S. A. Hearn, W. E. Arnold, J. M. Rustin, R. R. Norman, J. A. Thomas, A. Kelly, J. D. Snider, George W. Childress, Herman Jones, J. M. Glenn, R. M. Wesley, W. N. Ainsworth, E. L. Tucker, George P. Parnelle, C. E. Choate, J. M. Butler and J. A. Weathers were called, their characters were passed, their examination was approved and they were passed to the second-class of the fourth year.

Walter J. Neare, Seaborn A. Smith, Robert Kerr, H. L. Pierson, George N. McDonell, Lucius J. Ballard, Robert E. Bailey, J. M. Bass, Isaac B. Tyson, Richard A. Bradley were admitted on trial.

A committee was announced to try G. B. Allison, charged with immorality. When the name of George N. McDonell was presented to the conference by his father as presiding elder the heart of the conference was touched.

Announcements of the various boards were made. The presiding elders were called and in brief reports showed the church to be in a healthy condition. O. F. Cook and William B. Blitch having passed approved examinations, were elected to deacons' orders. Rev. Charles W. Littlejohn and Joel Coward were continued on trial in the class of the second year. M. J. Adams was discontinued at his own request. Rev. E. H. Rome was announced as having been transferred from the Virginia conference to the South Georgia. Rev. Mr. Quarterman, of the Waycross Presbyterian church, was introduced to the conference. Dr. W. A. Candler, president of Emory college; Rev. E. H. Rome and J. E. Barbee, agent of the publishing house, are among the prominent visitors upon the conference.

Rev. J. B. Johnstone, who is a prominent member of conference, was at one time pastor of the Methodist church here. He it was who selected the site for the new Methodist church here and took an active interest in having the proposed church built.

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### ASSAULTED AND ROBBED.

### A Chicago Drummer Gets Drunk and Loses His Money.

Griffin, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—S. Cunningham, who travels for a Chicago house, was assaulted and robbed here last night between 9 and 10 o'clock. It seems that Cunningham, who had been drinking heavily, made a display of his money in the presence of George Clark, a local railroad man. Clark thereupon began nursing him, and at last succeeded in getting him away from the business portion of the city into an unfrequented street. There, taking advantage of Cunningham's helpless condition, he 'knocked him down with some heavy instrument and robbed him of about $40.

Cunningham was found in an unconscious condition soon after the deed. Cunningham was badly cut about the head and face. The police arrested Clark. When he was searched Cunningham's pocketbook and money, together with several letters, were found on him. Clark claims that Cunningham was drunk and gave him the money to keep for him, but warrants were sworn out against him for robbery. However, as Cunningham could not stay to prosecute the case and Clark was willing to refund the amount claimed, the case was settled and the badly bruised drummer has left town.

**Odd Fellows Make a Settlement.**

The Odd Fellows of Griffin have settled satisfactorily with Contractor Rawbotham's creditors. All parties signed an agreement releasing the lodge and its handsome new building from further liability.

### NEWFOUNDLAND FINANCES

### Are in a Bad Way Since the Recent Failures.

St. John's, N. F., December 14.—Several small firms have failed in the last two days, but their liabilities are insignificant in comparison with the huge failures of Monday. The shareholders of both the Union and the Commercial banks are demanding statements, but have not yet received them. The published estimates of the biggest liabilities show loose methods of doing business. It is likely that the new government will institute proceedings next week against the bank directors. Arrangements are being made for a public meeting of citizens to deal with the situation, especially with the view of providing for the poorer classes, who are on the verge of starvation. The members of the government hope to be able to raise a loan, but English financiers absolutely refuse to lend money to Newfoundland except on the guarantee of the English government, which will not be given unless a royal commission investigates the colony's affairs. The Union bank's standing is still hopeful. The Bank of Montreal will establish a branch here and this is expected to help the Union bank.

**The Emperor Made It Good.**

Berlin, December 14.—Emperior William at his own initiative has added 100,000 marks to Chancellor Prince Hohenlohe's official salary to cover the financial loss which he suffered by giving up the governorship of Alsace-Lorraine. As the chancellor is a rich man, who is not even remotely dependent upon his salary, the emperor's action is criticised. It will be discussed in the reichstag, and the increase will not be paid unless voted by the deputies.

### THE DEATH ROLL.

The funeral of Mrs. Wilkinson, whose death occurred yesterday, will take place this morning at 10 o'clock. The remains will be intered in Westview cemetery.

The funeral of Russell Stephens Mitchell, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene M. Mitchell, took place from the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. There was a large concourse of friends present to witness the sad rites.

The youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Moore died at their home on Piedmont avenue at 7:45 o'clock last night. The child was fourteen months old. Mr. Moore is one of the Kimball house employes. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

Robert D. Nuttall, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Nuttall, whose death occurred on Thursday evening, will be buried at Westview, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. The age of the child was eleven months and twenty-eight days.

New York, December 14.—Harry J. Shellman, who was formerly managing editor of Texas Siftings, died on Thursday at his home in Brooklyn. He was fifty-one years of age and a native of Westminster, Md. He lived for some years in Indianapolis and was one of the founders of The People in that city, a weekly paper which achieved considerable success. Mr. Shellman leaves a widow, formerly Miss Josephine Keith, of Augusta, Ga., and two sons.

Powder Springs, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—Mrs. Ida Scott, wife of Mr. W. M. Scott, died here Tuesday. She was a daughter of Thomas Findley, and was a very estimable lady.

New York, December 14.—General Josiah Porter, adjutant general of the state national guard, died at 10:30 o'clock tonight from an apopletic stroke.

**Ended His Life.**

Joliet, Ill., December 14.—Captain James S. Miller, aged seventy-six years, committed suicide this morning at his home in this city by shooting himself. Captain Miller served in the army and was chief engineer of the Illinois state penitentiary in this city for twenty-two years. He leaves a family and large estate. No cause is known. This is the third noted suicide in this city in the past two months.

**Booth in the Mormon Temple.**

Salt Lake, Utah, December 14.—General Booth spoke in the Morman tabernacle last night. The church authorities tendered the building to the Salvation Army and an immense audience heard the general.

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# IN THE LOCAL FIELD.

## Short Stories of Minor Happenings Gathered from Many Sources.

## THE CITY BRIEFLY MIRRORED

### Items from Courts, Police, Industry, Politics, the Churches and Other Departments—Life in a Large City.

Invitations are out to the marriage of Miss Jennie Thorn to Mr. T. C. Elliott. The marriage will take place next Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents on Thurman street and will be a quiet affair. Miss Thorn is one of the most charming and interesting ladies of the city and has many friends throughout Atlanta. Mr. Elliott is connected with the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad, and is one of the most trusted employes of that corporation. They will make Nashville their future home.

—Miss Annie Dennis, of Talbot county, is in Atlanta. Miss Dennis is known thoughout Georgia for her exhibits at various expositions in the state of preserves and canned goods. She is now preparing her exhibit for the exposition to be held in Atlanta next year and she says it will be the most elaborate she has ever made. Miss Dennis needs no introduction to the people of Atlanta. It is a pity that there are not ten thousand just such women in Georgia as she, for if there were the cotton crop of the state would be of secondary consideration and the state would grow rich from such handiwork as hers. Her name is already a household word among the housekeepers of Georgia.

—Captain Robert J. Lowry returned last night from Chicago. He went to that city on Monday last to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the National Bankers' Association and succeeded in securing the convention for Atlanta next year. He heard many nice things about Atlanta while away and received any number of assurances that next year's attendance would exceed any that has characterized the conventions of recent years. Captain Lowry is delighted at having finally and definitely settled the matter of the next convention.

—A man named Williams, who sells kindling wood in the streets of Atlanta, was given a check by Mrs. Emma Bell, proprietor of the Bell house, a few days ago to get cashed in order that she might get change to pay him for some of his wares. He took the check to the bank, collected all the money on it, the amount being $25, and went away. He was found with a warrant the night afterwards and the money was taken from him. He made no excuse for his action.

—In a few days about thirty or forty United States prisoners will be taken to the United States prison at Columbus, O. In the crowd will be Jim Lawshe and Laird, convicted of the postoffice robbery at LaGrange, and others who may be convicted at the present term of the United States court.

—Mr. Bradford L. Gilbert, the exposition architect, will be in Atlanta for ten days. He spent yesterday at exposition headquarters, with the exception of two hours yesterday afternoon, which he spent at the exposition grounds in company with Mrs. Gilbert. He is charmed with the prospect for a great exposition.

—Mr. Wall Mackey, of The Stockton, Ill., Herald, is in Atlanta. He is traveling through the south on a pleasure trip and will be in Atlanta for several days. He says that Atlanta is the most progressive of all cities and that it reminds him more of Chicago than anything he has seen since he left Illinois.

—Mr. Ed Brown won a handsome box of candy at the bazaar last night and spread it out to his friends at the Aragon shortly afterwards. He says it was but another illustration of the old adage that the gods favor the good.

—Mr. Junsey Cruger, of New York, who has been at the Kimball house for two weeks, left yesterday for New Orleans. He and Mrs. Cruger will spend some time there, after which they will go to Havana for the remaining winter months.

—Mr. John H. Winder, of the Seaboard Air-Line, and Captain "Bunch" McBee, of the same system, have been up the road for several days looking after business of the company.

—Judge Westmoreland will hold criminal court today and will dispose of several cases that have been awaiting a hearing. He adjourned civil court yesterday morning, as there was no business ready.

—In Judge Lumpkin's court yesterday the suit of Grogan against Grogan, litigation regarding land, occupied the entire day. Judge Lumpkin signed several orders making parties.

—Judge Van Epps's court was in session but a short while yesterday and adjourned until Monday. There was a call of the docket yesterday and cases were set for both branches of the city court.

—Justice Bloodworth married a couple yesterday morning. The license showed their names to be Henry Statom and Mattis Classin.

—The taxbooks in the collector's office close on December 19th, and in consequence the property owners are paying up rapidly. Not less than 4,000 have paid this year's taxes and are registered to vote at the coming election.

—Speaker Fleming is still in the city, winding up some important work connected with his duties. Secretary of the Senate Clifton is also still in the city.

—Mr. Gilbert Smith returned yesterday from a four weeks' business trip through Mississippi. He reports business in a fairly flourishing condition.

—Mr. S. H. Hardwick, assistant general passenger agent of the Southern railway, is in New York.

—Mr. Roger Elliott, after a delightful visit to Macon, has returned to the city.

—Mr. S. T. Henderson, the Atlanta broker, left yesterday for St. Louis.

—Captain J. L. Hardeman, of Macon, spent yesterday in Atlanta.

### STEPHEN GREEN HERE.

### The Capitalist and Architectural Artist Visits Atlanta.

Mr. Stephen Green, of Boston, who has been in Atlanta for several days on business in connection with the scheme to enlarge the Exposition cotton factory, left yesterday for Boston at 12 o'clock.

He spent several days here looking over the situation and has drawn up a plan for the work of adding to the already spacious cotton factory at the old exposition grounds.

Mr. Green is interested in the movement to add to the facilities of the factory, and it is gratifying to know that the work will be taken up in the near future and carried forward to a speedy completion.

**Joseph Truskey Paid the Extreme Penalty for Killing a Constable.**

Sandwich, Ont., December 14.—Joseph Truskey was hanged at 10:50 o'clock a. m., for the murder of Constable Willis Lindsay, of Comber, Essex county, May 3d, last.

**Burglary at Hephzibah.**

Hephzibah, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—J. B. Freyer's store on the corner of Broad and Walker streets was burglarized last night. The cash register, containing $30 was carried off, with some goods.

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### ATHENS GOSSIP.

### The People Are Greatly Interested in the Proposed New Road.

Athens, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—The people of Athens are very much interested in the proposed road from Lula to Dahlonega, the survey of which is now being made. It is the cherished hope of Athenians to see a road built through that section and on to Knoxville.

Classic City lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, now just beginning its third year, is one of the most flourishing Masonic lodges in the state. The regular election of officers occurred last night and resulted as follows: M. G. Michael, worshipful master; W. A. Chastain, senior warden; J. J. Strickland, junior warden; W. McKennon, senior deacon; J. F. Baughn, junior deacon; E. Gottheimer, secretary; L. Morris, treasurer; W. D. Kelly, senior steward; W.B. Hosey, tyler.

The musical concert given last night at the opera house for the benefit of the Bessie Mell Industrial home, was largely attended and was quite a success in every way. The best talent in Athens was represented at this concert and it was highly enjoyed by all.

The faculty of the University of Georgia is arranging a series of public lectures.

The lectures will begin next month and will be continued from session to session.

The professors of the university will deliver the lectures on subjects of interest to their departments, but there will be a vein of information for the people running through them all, and the public will be invited to attend.

**The College Holidays.**

The regular Christmas holidays of the university have been declared. The exercises of the university will be suspended at 2 o'clock p. m. on the 20th instant, and will be taken up again on Thursday, January 3d. The students are happy over this announcement as the holidays are four days longer than is usually given.

**Organizing a New Lodge.**

St. Elmo lodge Knights of Pythias, which has been on a regular boom here for weeks, is reaching out in its work. Tonight a selected team from this lodge went to Harmony Grove to establish a new lodge there, where more than twice the requisite number of applicants have already been obtained.

**Will Make Repairs.**

The $3,000 appropriated by the general assembly to the State university will be used in making necessary repairs. The chief work will be the repairing of the recitation rooms in the "new college" building erected in 1830, and in providing for proper sewerage and sanitation in the different departments.

### MORE THAN THEY BARGAINED FOR.

### Three White Men Are Driven Off by a Party of Negroes.

Forsyth, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—There was a big riot at Cabaniss, in this county, Wednesday night, which came near terminating seriously. Three white men from the fourth district went to Cabaniss to the house of a negro named Calvin Driswell to whip him. The negro called for help, and about fifteen negroes went to his rescue. For a short time the three white men were in close quarters, but they beat a retreat as soon as they could. They took refuge in the house of Mr. Wash Freeman, not, however, before one of the negroes had fired at them and sprinkled them with shot. They were only slightly wounded. The names of the three men are: Nolly and Dud McCord and Claud Holder.

Officer "Lit" Johnson arrested the three men, thus quieting the negroes. The negroes were very much excited, and it was with some difficulty that the riot was quelled. No further trouble is apprehended.

### HANDSOME ALIMONY.

### A Wife Sues for $32,000 and Gets $7,550.

Brunswick, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—The civil suit for alimony of Mrs. Elsa Briesenick against E. Briesenick, which has occupied the attention of Glynn superior court for several days, finally ended today. The suit was for $32,000 and the jury rendered a verdict giving the plaintiff $7,550 and her counsel $750. It was a very interesting trial.

### A TEAM WASHED AWAY.

### The Horse Ran Off and Plunged Into the Chattahoochee.

Norcross, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—Yesterday Mr. J. E. Lowe, a prominent merchant of Duluth, in Gwinnett county, went over into Milton county to look after some business. On his return home his horse became frightened, ran away and threw him from the buggy. In falling Mr. Lowe lost his grip on the reins and the horse kept going until he ran into the Chattahoochee river. The river was up and the horse and buggy were washed down stream no one knows where. Mr. Lowe was shaken up, but not badly hurt.

**Naval Stores on Fire.**

Wilmington, N. C., December 14.—Fire broke out in the naval stores yards on the west side of Cape Fear river, immediately opposite the city at 4 o'clock a. m. Two steamers of the fire department were taken over on lighters and although the fire is still burning it is now completely under control. Three or four warehouses and several hundred front feet of wharves, large quantities of rosin, tar, spirits of turpentine, salt and guano were destroyed.

**Sayre Released.**

Norfolk, Va., December 14.—The final decree releasing Pay Clerk Sayre, of the United States navy, from the two years' imprisonment imposed by the United States courtmartial at the Norfolk navy yard, was entered and he was again released yesterday on $1,000 bail, pending an appeal, which the government counsel have taken from Judge Hughes's decision.

**Diphtheria Spreading.**

St. Louis, December 14.—Diphtheria is spreading so rapidly among children at East St. Louis as to cause considerable alarm to parents and physicians. Ten cases have been reported during the past few days. The children living in infected districts were excluded from the public schools. The disease is alarmingly prevalent in this city and physicians are using every endeavor to prevent it becoming epidemic.

**Murdered by Burglars.**

San Francisco, Cal., December 14.—At 1 o'clock this morning Eugene Weir, night drug clerk in the St. Nicholas drug store, corner Hayes and Market streets, was found dead at the foot of the basement stairs. There were twenty-eight stab wounds in his body. The deed was committed by burglars, who got only a small amount of money. Weir having put the day's receipts in a secret drawer, the robbers were unable to find it.

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# THE ATLANTA CLUB

## One of the Members of the Southern Association Organizes.

## QUITE AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING

### Every Dollar of the Stock Necessary to Run the Club Through the Season Was Taken on the Spot.

The Atlanta Baseball Club has been organized, all of the stock has been subscribed to and an election of officers will take place next week.

The organization of the club occurred yesterday afternoon, and at it were quite a number of the best and most loyal devotees of the game, every one of whom was ready to do all in his power to make the game a go in Atlanta this season.

The meeting was not a long one, but it was full of business, and the business was disposed of in the most satisfactory manner. Mr. J. K. Ohl was called to the chair and Mr. W. H. Barnes was made secretary of the meeting. There were very few of those who have been interested in baseball in Atlanta in the past present, but there were in attendance several who have never shown their hand before, but who have always been generous patrons of the game.

A concise declaration of the situation as it is was given, showing that Mobile, New Orleans, Montgomery, Charleston, Savannah and Chattanooga were anxious and ready to come in. The edict of Secretary Young showing that the Southern League composed of the cities named in that paper had complied with all the laws and rules of the baseball code and were entitled to membership in class "B" and protection with the right of reservation was presented.

"The situation is just this," it was explained. "Every one of the towns is ready to open the game again and if the league is conducted as it should be there is more reason today to expect a long and happy life than ever before. In most of the towns the organization has about been perfected and in the others they are all waiting on Atlanta. Just as soon as it is known that Atlanta is ready to enter everything will be in readiness for a meeting of the league. That league meeting will put everything in shape and then there will be nothing to do except secure a manager and a team."

Some one asked if it was certain that the other seven cities would come in.

"There is no doubt," was the reply, "about New Orleans, as you all know. That town under Henry Powers, is always ready and it is a good town in any league. Then in Montgomery, all those who have been interested are anxious to get in the game once more. When Montgomery was in the league before the grounds were away out of town and the transportation was by mule cars. Of course that hurt the attendance. But now they have good electric lines and the grounds will be nearer in. Montgomery was never a bad ball town and this next year she will be better than ever. Then the street car people are ready to put up their money and the team will be kept through the year. In Mobile the same thing may be said. This year that city has quick transit to Frasceti park and with the Sunday games allowed there is no doubt in my mind about the worth of the town as a member. Mobile was always a good town, at least it never laid down, and there is more than one person anxious for the franchise now and for years past in the hands of Jack Hooper, one of the best men in the play. Savannah is one of the best ball towns in the south. It has had its disadvantages in the past, which are now wiped out. First, there was only a slow way to get to the grounds and then there was a want of harmony among the people at the head of the club. All of that has disappeared and that city will make a fine showing as a ball town next year. The service to the park is a quick, fast one and the people will find it a pleasure to go to the game where it was once a piece of ill comfort even to the best fan. But now all this has been eliminated and a team in Savannah this year will be worth owning. Charleston has one of the most devoted baseball men of the south in Mr. Passileague, who owns the street railway companies. He is anxious to try it again. President Nicklin of the league will speak for Chattanooga and from what he has said there is no doubt about the result in that city. We all know the trouble Macon has had, but this year there will be none of that trouble. There is a new lot of people who want the franchise and they will stay until the end comes. I am satisfied that the Southern League never had a more prosperous or brighter outlook than it has for next year. It now remains for Atlanta to do her part and give the league a start, as all of the cities named have been waiting to see what Atlanta would do in the matter."

The attachment of Atlanta to the Central League was mentioned and it was suggested that maybe that would be a better formation or association for Atlanta than the Southern.

A map was presented showing the location of Atlanta with the towns of the Central League, and when it was seen that the Gate City of the South would be an isolated member of that organization and that there would be no community of interest, the idea of an association of that kind was abandoned. Then, too, when it was shown that the protection granted the Southern League made Atlanta a member of that league, and not a member of the Central League, that idea was quickly abandoned again.

"Then what ought we to do?" asked one of the gentlemen who was attending his first meeting in Atlanta.

"We should decide on a home organization first," was the answer. "In the first place, I would not be willing to go into any association where each member would not be willing to put up a guarantee of $1,000 to play the season out. Then we would need another $1,000 to get ready for the season's work. If each of the eight clubs will put up that $1,000 there will be no doubt about each of the cities finishing the season. I happen to know, too, that in every one of the towns mentioned the people are willing to put up that $1,000 and then go ahead. Of course all of this is a matter for the league meeting to consider and determine, but, while that is true, it is something that each city of the league will have to act upon for itself. It will take at least $3,00 to start with, and the question for us now to decide is whether that money can be raised so that we may take our membership, for which we have already paid Secretary Young."

A canvass of those present was made and in less than five minutes the $3,000 was taken. There having been some others suggested as possible stockholders, the announcement is authorized that any others who desire to become stockholders and take a hand in the management of the club can come in "on the ground floor."

It was decided to ask President Nicklin to call a meeting of the league for one day next week, at which time a permanent organization of the association for the coming year will be made.

Those interested in the Atlanta organization will meet again Monday afternoon, when an organization of the Atlanta club will be perfected and arrangements for an application for a charter will be made.

### BOWEN KNOCKED OUT.

### Lavigne Floors Him in the Eighteenth Round.

New Orleans, La., December 14.—George (Kid) Lavigne, of Saginaw, Mich., knocked the pugilistic aspiration of Andy Bowen, of this city, into the proverbial cocked hat tonight in the eighteenth round in the presence of 2,500 spectators at the Auditorium Club.

The contest was for a purse of $2,500 at 130 pounds weight, but both men were over the scale. Lavigne tipped the beam at 135 pounds and Bowen at 133. The Louisiana man was clearly outclassed and while he has developed a little better judgment from his training with Dempsey, it was not enough to give him a chance against the "Kid" from Saginaw.

It was one of the cleverest fights that has ever been pulled off in this neck of the woods, and the Kid made a monkey of Bowen throughout the whole contest, playing with him as a cat would with a mouse. He took his time at knocking him out and only did so when he got good ready. The gong saved Bowen several times, but it was conceded by the spectators at the outset that Bowen was to be the loser. He put up a game fight by staying up for his punishment, but he was poor at fighting.

Once Bowen went down and waited for the referee to count seven, but it availed him very little. He was severely punished, his left eye being closed and his face all bruised and swollen, with his lips swollen to twice their normal size.

Lavigne was unharmed and as fresh as at the opening of the fight, but his left hand was swollen to almost the same size as his glove. The knockout was delivered by a left hand drive on the side of the jaw fallowed by a cross counter with the right hand on the chin, and Bowen dropped squarely in his tracks, his head striking the floor with a resounding thwack and sounding all over the house. He was unconscious for twenty-eight minutes. After eight minutes' work by his seconds he was carried to his retiring room and Drs. Schuppert, Herman and Finney called in.

It was thought that he would not recover and Sergeant McCabe placed Lavigne and his party under arrest. They were released on the recovery of Bowen, who, when he regained consciousness, attempted to speak, but was cautioned to remain quiet and turned over, saying, all right."

It was 9:20 o'clock when Bowen stepped into the ring accompanied by his seconds, Australian Billy McCarthy, Billy Layton and Al Spitzfadden, with Ben Spiggs, of Chicago, as timekeeper. He was followed closely by Lavigne with Jim Hall, Sam Fitzpatrick and Martin Murphy as his seconds and George F. Considine, of Detroit, as timekeeper.

Professor Johnny Duffy was referee and Sam Stern official timekeeper for the club. The police were in charge of Sergeant J. M. McCabe, of the first precinct, and perfect order prevailed.

Bowen forced the fighting for the first two rounds, when Lavigne sized him up and proceeded to make a chopping block of the hard-headed Orleanean. He proved a good man with both his right and left hands, landing either at will and wherever he wanted to.

Dempsey had trained Bowen for the fight and gave him some valuable lessons in ducking, but the Kid caught on to his style of ducking and landed an effective upper cut every time.

After the fight Sam Fitzpatrick stated to the Southern Associated representative that Lavigne would like to take on a go with George Johnson, of England, at 126 pounds, for a side bet and the largest purse offered by any reputable club.

The Ryan-Dempsey fight will be on tomorrow night with Ryan selling favorite in the betting at 100 to 80.

Among the well-known sporting men occupying prominent positions about the ring were the following: Parson Davies, Tom Ryan, Jack Dempsey, A. Erlanger, M. B. Curtis, J. Choynski, Jim Barry, D. C. O'Malley, John Hogerty, Frank Ives, Sandy Waters, F. B. Bowes, Senator O'Malley of Chicago, President Jules Rosler, of the Past Time Athletic Club; Lew M. Houson, Fred S. Cox and many others of lesser note.

The Daily States tomorrow will say: "George Lavigne, the Saginaw Kid at 135 pounds, can whip Jack McAuliffe, Owen Zeigler or Horace Leeds with as much ease as he administered the quietus to Bowen, of New Orleans. At 126 pounds, Johnson, of England, would only serve as a chopping block for him. He is the greatest fighter at his weight in the country and a fistic marvel, being an extemporaneous fighter and lands as effectively with his right as he does with his left."

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### NEW ORLEANS RACES.

### Another Fine Day—Lots of Money Changed Hands.

New Orleans, December 14.—The Crescent City Jockey Club was favored with ideal racing weather today and the attendance was far in excess of that which has been present at any day this week. The track was fairly good and just a trifle lumpy, owing to the rains of the early part of the week, but it is drying fast and with a couple of turns of rolling will be in most excellent shape for the events of tomorrow, when the Traction handicap will be the rich purse of the day. The great influx of sports who have come to the Crescent City to be in attendance at the fights before the Auditorium Club assisted materially towards increasing the crowd in the betting ring and a lot of money changed hands which had been brought here to go on the fighters. Among the notables were Frank Ives, the champion billiardist; Captain A. C. Anson, of the Chicago Baseball Club; Jim Hall, Parson Davies, Joe Choyski and A. J. Ley; and Tommy Shannon, of Lexington, was a new arrival today and will be followed tomorrow by his stable.

Three of the favorites landed first money and made it a profitable day for the talent. Starter Pettingill made a miserable blunder in the fourth race and virtually gave the Clara Bauer, by sending her off at the post fully four lengths in the lead. She was never headed and went all around the mile without one of the field ever getting near her.

First race, seven-eighths of a mile, selling, Miss Galop, 106, Leigh, 3 to 2, won; Theodore H., 105, McCue, 8 to 5, second; Baby Bill, 106, McDonald, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:30.

Second race, six and one half furlongs, selling, Young Arion, 112, J. McDonald, 4 to 5 won; Prince Imperial, 112, Elrod, even, second; Revenue, 109, R. Jones, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:22¾.

Third race, three-quarters of a mile, selling, Burrell's Billet, 105, J. McDonald, 17 to 10, won; Ten Spring, 100, Berger, 3 to 1, second; Luke Parks, 100, McCue, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:15½.

Fourth race, handicap, Clara Bauer, 106, J. McDonald, 13 to 10, won; Imported Wolsey, 100, W. Jones, 9 to 5, second; Bonnie B., 103, A. Kerr, 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:42¾

Fifth race, three-quarters of a mile, selling, Dr. Work, 105, 6 to 1, won; Flush, 108, Penn, 4 to 5, second; Red Veil, 105, Leigh, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:16¼.

**Entries for Saturday.**

First race, seventh-eighths of a mile, purse, Black Satin, Prince, 86 each; Black Jack, Freeman, Rasper 89 each; Metropole 109, Old Dominion 114, Burrell's Billet 117.

Second race three-fourths of a mile, selling, Midget, Satinet, Marcel, Or a Audrain, Kingcraft, Nicaragua 102 each; Jennie W. 104, Hodgson 104, Blackhawk, Governor Hogg 105 each; Danube, Miss Clark 106 each; Elberon, Franke Gayle 107 each, Bessie Nichols 110.

Third race, thirteen-sixteenths of a mile, purse, Susie Anderson, Dollie, Bootmaker, Satelite, Dotsy Dimple, Tippecanoe, Longbrook 99; Cyrus 102, Panway, Centinella, Readina, 104; Bluestone, Bob Campbell, 107 each.

Fourth race, a mile and a sixteenth, traction handicap, Carallina 80, Renaud 87, Montre 91, Amelia May 109, Theodore H. 102, Peytona 104, Chimes 105, Melody 109, Clementine Wewahatchie 110 each, Lottlie Mills 115, Montre and May coupled.

Fifth race, one mile, selling, Uncle, Wedgefield Bankrupt, Legrande, Top Gallant, Zeke Hardy, Foot runner, Denver, Mezzotint, Pearline 102, Virden 105.

**Shut Down the Works.**

Harmond, Ind., December 14.—Tonight the G. H. Hammond Company will close down its butterine and oleomargarine works in this city, throwing seventy men and women out of employment. This was brought about by the recent opinion delivered in the United States supreme court prohibiting an article manufactured in Illinois being shipped to several eastern states. The plant here has a capacity of 20,000 pounds a day and gave employment sometimes to a double shift of men. Officials of the company say the step was forced on them.

**Perier Will Attend.**

Paris, December 14.—President Cassimir Perier will personally attend the funeral of his former colleague, M. Burdeau.

The body of Count Ferdinand de Lesseps arrived in this city last evening and was conveyed to the church of St. Pierre de Chaillot.

**Large Elevator Burned.**

Memphis, Tenn., December 15.—Elevator B, the largest elevator in Memphis, burned to the ground at 1:30 o'clock this morning. It was the property of the Empire Mill Company. Loss $200,000; insurance, $150,0.0. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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### DIED.

MOORE—George Miller, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Moore, died at 7:45 o'clock p. m., December 14, 1894, aged one year, two months and seven days.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

WILKINSON—Mrs. U. B. Wilkinson, wife of Major U. B. Wilkinson and mother of John R. Wilkinson, Mell R. Wilkinson, Edward B. Wilkinson, Thomas J. Wilkinson and Mrs. F. M. Daniel, died at Manchester, Ga., (Daniel's crossing, West Point railroad) at 2 o'clock p m., December 13, 1894. Funeral will be held from the residence of Mrs. Daniel Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Train leaves the city at 8:20. Carriages will meet the train at West End at 10:15. Interment at Westview. The following gentlemen will act as pallbearers: W. L. Stanton, A. D. Freeman, John F. Daniel, B. L. Willingham, W. M. Spratlin and Malvern Hill.

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# UNPLEASANT NEWS.

## Bondholders of the Northeastern Are Informed of Interest Scalping.

## IT IS CUT ONE-HALF OF ONE PER CENT

### Lawyers Who Opposed the Reappointment of Judge Ross Are Becoming Reconciled Now That He Is to Remain.

Macon, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—There is much interest among the people to know who will compose the standing committees of the city council during the ensuing year. Mayor Horne will form the committees in time for them to be announced at the regular meeting of the council next Tuesday night. The legislature on Wednesday passed an amendment to the charter of Macon which takes from the chairman of the council the privilege of naming the committees and confers that right upon the mayor. The newly elected chairman of the council, Major C. D. Lindlay, is a warm personal and political friend of Mayor Horne, and these two gentlemen will no doubt get along very harmoniously in the discharge of their municipal duties.

**Who Will Be Commissioners?**

The term of Police Commissioner T. C. Hendrick, Fire Commissioner T. C. Burke and Public Works Commissioner Lee Ellis will expire in a few days, and their successors will have to be elected by the council. It is rumored that W. R. Cox will be elected police commissioner. Morrison Rogers, fire commissioner, and Lee Ellis will be re-elected public works commissioner. Some doubt the eligibility of Mr. Ellis to succeed himself, but the consensus of opinion is that he is eligible, as he was elected before to fill the unexpired term of Colonel Virgil Powers, deceased. Mr. Ellis has made a splendid commissioner and is entitled to re-election, if no legal obstacle stands in the way. Mr. Cox, who is mentioned for police commissioner, served as alderman several terms, and his name has been frequently mentioned for mayor. He is a popular and leading citizen. Mr. Rogers is well suited for the position of fire commissioner. He was for a long time connected with the volunteer fire department of the city. Twenty-one years ago he was foreman of Defiance Fire Company No. 5, and it was under him, at that time, that Mr. L. M. Jones, the present chief of the paid fire department, rendered his first fire service.

**The Northeastern Bonds.**

About $100,000 of the Northeastern railroad bonds are owned in Macon,. and naturally a number of Maconites have been greatly interested in the action of the legislature relative to the payment of the bonds. The bondholders are not aware, however, that the senate concurred in the house amendment to issue new bonds at 3½ per cent interest instead of 4 per cent, as the senate bill originally provided. This will be the first information that the bondholders have had that the senate agreed to the house amendment of 3½ per cent. The bill only awaits the signature of the governor to become a law. It is possible that a majority of the Macon bondholders will take the new bonds in preference to the cash.

**Don't Feel So Sore.**

Some of the Macon lawyers who opposed the reappointment of Judge John P. Ross to the bench of the city court are recovering from their disappointment and don't feel so sore as they did. Two of the most interesting contests that have been made before Governor Atkinson were over the judgeship of the city courts of Atlanta and Macon. Some of the Macon lawyers have not recovered from their surprise at Governor Atkinson ignoring the recommendation of a majority of the bar. There were threats that if Judge Ross was reappointed the city court would be abolished instanter, but it is observed that the legislature has adjourned and no bill was introduced to abolish the court.

**Candidates for Solicitor.**

The term of Solicitor General Felton, of the Macon superior court circuit, does not expire for two years, but already there is some speculation as to his successor. Mr. Felton has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election. When his present term expires he will have served two terms. The contest for his office will be lively. It is probable that two of the present representatives from Bibb in the legislature will be candidates—Robert Hodges and Hope Polhill. Either gentleman would fill the place well. The earnings of the solicitor are estimated to be from $4,000 to $6,000 per annum.

It is thought by many that Solicitor General Felton has his eye on the judgeship of the superior court, and will be a candidate whenever Judge Hardeman decides to retire. Judge Hardeman can, of course, hold the position so long as he wishes.

**Berner vs. Bartlett.**

If reports that come to Macon from Monroe county are true the lines are already being drawn for the next congressional campaign in the sixth district for the democratic nomination. It is said that Bob Berner will surely make the race against Charley Bartlett, who will be a candidate for re-election. Berner has never recovered from his defeat by Cabaniss two years ago, and he desires to make another tilt. It will require long and hard work to defeat Bartlett. He will make a record in congress that will endear him more strongly than ever to the people of the sixth district, and his conduct will greatly popularize him with the masses. Mr. Bartlett will go to Washington early in January to become acquainted with the members and familiarize himself with things generally. His term begins March 4, 1895, but he will not be required to perform congressional service until the following December, unless President Cleveland convenes congress in extra session.

**Newsy Notes.**

The impression prevails that the new city council will reduce the salaries of several officials.

Work on the sewers is now progressing very well. It is thought that it will be five months longer before the system is completed.

Next Monday will be "founders' day" at Mercer university. The occasion will be appropriately observed. Two of the leading events of the celebration will be an address by Mr. Felton Hatcher, representing the Ciceronian Society, and an address by Mr. Will Sanford, representing the Phi Delta Society.

Mrs. A. J. Battle, wife of President A. J. Battle, of Shorter college, Rome, is in the city visiting her son, Mr. Cullen Battle.

Mr. Walter T. McArthur, of Lumber City, who has been quite sick in Atlanta two weeks, passed through Macon last night in a sleeper en route home, accompanied by Hon. J. C. Clements, of Montgomery county.

Mrs. P. J. Duffy died this afternoon after a short illness. She was a highly estimable lady. She leaves a husband and four children. The deceased was Miss Katie Russell.

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## THE CYCLONE IN CRAWFORD.

### Horses Were Blown Away—Not a Blade of Grass Left.

Zenith, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—The cyclone reached this place Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock. It came from a southwesterly direction, wreaking destruction in its course. The first damage after entering this county was on the Ogletree stock farm, where quite a number of houses were blown away. Mr. L. K. Armentraut's place was the next that suffered. A great deal of damage to fences and other things was done there. The cyclone cut a path seventy-five yards in width and did not leave a corn stalk or a blade of grass. No such storm ever passed through Crawford county before.

# DIED FOR MURDER.

## Alexander Williams Hanged at Elberton for Killing Newt Hampton.

## THE VICTIM DENIED THE CRIME

### His Last Words Were a Declaration That He Was Innocent—Convicted on a Woman's Testimony.

Elberton, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—Alexander Williams, colored, was hanged here today for the murder of Newt Hampton.

At 12:15 o'clock Sheriff J. I. Chandler brought the doomed man from his cell and placed him on a seat between two bailiffs in a wagon, which was driven to the outskirts of the city under escort of the Elbert Light infantry, commanded by Captain Willis B. Adams. The soldiers were followed by an immense crowd of people. Williams persistently declared his innocence to the last with but little quivering of nerves. He mounted the scaffold and in a clear voice said:

"On the day of the resurrection my blood will be on somebody's hands. This is the last day of my life. I hate to leave you for something I did not do. I am perfectly innocent and willing to go. God saved me at the moment. Goodby to all, may God bless and save you."

A short while before he was carried from the jail he wrote a letter addressed to the public and requested Dr. A. S. J. Stovall, county physician, to give it out after he was dead. In this letter he said among other things:

"I, Alex Williams, who now stand convicted of the offense of murder, for which I must pay the penalty by a sacrifice of my life, desire to make this last statement on the very verge of an eternity which I am about to enter. I believe that the public will believe one who shakes in the presence of death. I am innocent of the crime. I did not kill Newt Hampton and I cannot die with a lie in my mouth. I am making an honest confession. I want to say that Laura Jones swore my life away. She did not see me the night Newt was killed. I know no reason for her conduct in the matter except her animosity. I don't know who killed Newt. Realizing that I must die, I am willing to go and meet my God. I would like to live longer to be with those I love. especially my poor afflicted wife. I must thank the jailor, Mr. Chandler, and his entire household for their kind and continued attention to me. I also offer my sincere gratitude to my attorney, Colonel W. D. Tutt, for his untiring efforts in my behalf. To all I tender the only thing I can now bestow, a grateful, loving but sad farewell. I forgive all who have wronged me."

The drop fell at 1:07 o'clock p. m. He was pronounced dead by Dr. A. S. J. Stovall in fifteen minutes.

**The Crime.**

Williams was thirty-five years old. He was convicted at the September term of court of having killed Newt Hampton July 23, 1894, at the house of a negro woman named Laura Jones, alias Laura Goss. She was the only witness to the act. Her testimony was that she lived about one mile from the courthouse. On the night of the killing Hampton, the deceased, went home with her. He complained of being sick and laid down on a bed. Shortly after that some one called her from the outside. She recognized the voice of Williams. She refused to admit him and he went around the house to a window where he could see the bed on which Hampton was lying and where she could see him. Williams fired his pistol through the window at Hampton but missed him. Hampton immediately arose from the bed and went towards the window. Williams fired the second shot, striking Hampton in the side. Hampton died in ten minutes. Williams had told the witness two weeks before the killing that he intended to kill any man he found at her house.

Williams was defended at the trial by Colonel W. D. Tutt, of the Elberton bar. He attempted to prove an alibi, but was unsuccessful

A petition to have the sentence commuted to imprisonment for life was gotten up by a brother of Williams and Governor Atkinson respited him for a month to investigate the matter. The petition was based on the ground that the conviction was had on the sole testimony of a lewd woman.

**Crossed Charleston Bar.**

Charleston, S. C., December 14.—The British steamship Darwin, with a cargo of nitrate of soda from Peru, arrived here today. She crossed Charleston bar drawing twenty-two feet and three inches and came straight up to the city docks without the least delay. This ship is of the deepest draught that has ever entered the port of Charleston and affords a practical demonstration of the value of the jetty improvements in this harbor. The channel to the harbor is deepening steadily and within the next three months there will be twenty-five feet depth of water on Charleston bar.

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**Made an Assignment.**

Jacksonville, Fla., December 14.—At Key West, Fla., today Charles R. Pierce & Co., clothiers, assigned to F. W. Knight. Liabilities, $11,000; assets, $10,000.

**Augusta's New Compress.**

Augusta, Ga., December 11.—Prominent cotton factors and warehousemen of Augusta are organizing a $150,000 compress company to be in operation next fall. This will double Augusta's compress facilities.

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# MAKES THEM SICK

## Augusta's Military Are Almost Ready to Throw Up the Sponge.

## FATHER RICHARD O'BRIEN BURIED

### Impressive Ceremonies at St. Patrick's Church—A Scheme on Foot to Build a New Cotton Press.

Augusta, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—The military of Augusta are disgusted with the way they have been treated by the state legislature. It was learned that a movement was on foot to hold a meeting of the officers of the local military. There was no secret about the fact that it was the intention to advise the companies to disband and to send back all their accoutrements to the state. When the senate got in an amendment for $21,000 the meeting was postponed to await the action of the house. This action was so disappointing that there is again talk of a meeting and disbandment. More will be heard of the matter next week.

**Had to Recind the Order.**

The rule of the railroads charging passengers who do not buy tickets an excess rate has brought on several lawsuits for damages against the South Carolina and Georgia railroad. A short time ago orders were issued to conductors on the South Carolina and Georgia railroad to collect excess rates from passengers not having tickets and to put those off the train who refused to pay the excess. In compliance with the rules the conductors have put several passengers out of Augusta off the trains for refusing to pay the excess. Passengers who were subjected to the embarrassment of being ejected from trains have entered damage suits against the railroad. In consequence of these suits the railroad issued an order today rescinding its instructions to conductors to collect the excess fares.

**A Distinguished Augustan.**

Sims, the great jockey, the Augusta colored lad who has won fame and fortune on the racing course of late years, returned to Augusta today. Sims is one of the greatest riders of the day. He ranks with Tarol and Garrison. The record shows that Sims has won more races during the past season than any other rider. He is going to New Orleans to ride in the races there.

There is a big scheme on foot in Augusta for the organization of another large steam cotton compress company before the opening of the next season. The promoters of the enterprise are the largest cotton merchants in the city. Among those who are connected with the compress are Phinizy & Co., Garrett & Latimer and several others. The intention is to organize a stock company with a capital of about $150,000 or $200,000 and to build a large, complete and valuable plant.

The city council tonight refused to grant a petition to allow the use of fireworks on Christmas.

**Father O'Brien Buried.**

The remains of Rev. Richard O'Brien were laid to rest this morning beneath St. Patrick's church. The ceremonies were the most impressive ever witnessed in Augusta. At 9:30 o'clock the church bell tolled and announced the departure of the remains from the parsonage. The procession formed with the Knights of St. Patrick, the Sacred Heart cadets, the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the societies of ladies and young girls of the congregation, followed by school children. The hearse was drawn by four large horses. At the head of the funeral cortege was Rev. James O'Brien, with whom the deceased had been associated in St. Patrick's parish, bearing the crucifix aloft. He was accompanied by two altar boys with candles. Following the remains were other priests and altar boys. After these came members of the congregation. Bishop Becker was celebrant of mass with Rev. E. Schmidtz, of Aiken, as deacon; Rev. James O'Brien, of Washington, Ga., as subdeacon; Very Rev. Ed Cafferty, vicar general of Savannah, assistant priest; Rev. Louis Bazin, of Savannah, master of ceremonies, and Revs. Father O'Callaghan, of Sacred Heart parish, and McMahon, of St. Patrick's parish, priests in the sanctuary. The pallbearers were Messrs. D. Graham, J. C. Flynn, P. J. O'Callahan, Bryan Lawrence and John Maloney. Rev. Father Cafferty delivered a sermon on the life of the deceased after mass. The body was placed in the recess beneath the church. Only a few besides the priests could be admitted and there in the dim light, beneath the scene of his labors, Father Richard O'Brien was laid to rest. After the last ceremonies were conducted, the vault was left open for two hours for inspection by the congregation.

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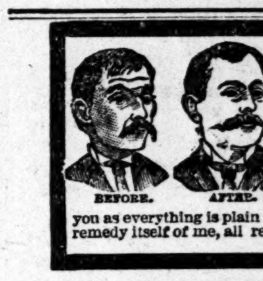

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UNEMPLOYED teachers write Georgia Teachers' Agency. Schools open January. Patrons and trustees writing us daily. sat-su.

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### Running Out.

Word comes from Washington that the gold reserve replenished by the last bond issue to $109,000,000 has been reduced to $97,000,000. This, as an object lesson, is worth referring to every day in the week, in order that people who do not understand the situation shall have no excuse for their ignorance.

The fact that the gold is again running out of the treasury in a steady stream shows that the effort to keep our currency on a "parity" by discrediting every form except gold is a failure. The steady demand for gold, and the surrender of the option of the government to redeem notes in silver shows that there is no "parity." If "parity" existed in reality the demand would not be for gold alone. If the government had not deliberately discredited all forms of its currency except gold it would not continue to pay out gold which is drawn out for the purpose of forcing another bond issue.

So far as the people are concerned they are helpless in the matter. The men they elected to look after their interests are engaged in carrying out a republican treasury policy invented in the interests of the money power. The congress the people elected to legislate in their behalf appears to be in a hypnotic condition, without energy or patriotism. The purchasing power of patronage has been effective in all directions.

Where is there a democratic leader, worthy of the occasion, who is ready to stand up in the house or in the senate and protest in the name of a robbed and plundered people? He is not to be found. He has been purchased by patronage, or he has been overpowered by the enemies of the people's prosperity.

It is a pitiful spectacle in all respects—congress hypnotized or purchased by patronage—the money power alert, keen, watchful, energetic and aggressive—the money kings determined that they shall have their way.

But what of it? Hurrah for John Sherman and the single gold standard! Now for more bonds! Pile it on the people!

### An Artistic Pioneer.

Editor Charles O'Brien Cowardin, of The Richmond Dispatch, is nothing if not progressive.

He is always startling people with his daring innovations, and his experiments are generally successful. The other day, under the caption "What Next?" the following leading editorial appeared in his paper:

> Are the papers right in saying that the reserve fund is already crawling downward? If so, what is to be the result?

Some people will protest against turning a three-line paragraph into an editorial with a head, but Editor Cowardin knew what he was about. That little bob-tailed editorial attracted more attention than anything else in The Dispatch. It loomed up like a red light or danger signal, and set people to thinking. Everybody read it, whereas, if it had been a longer article it would have been skipped or only glanced at.

But it is not only in prose that the Richmond journalist displays his unique and sometimes bizarre originality. A few weeks ago when he was attending the Southern Press convention he astonished his companions by occasionally reciting the following touching lines to music—and to such music as only Cowardin can sing:

She's the only girl I love—
  Got a face like a horse and buggy—
I met her leaning on the lake—
  Oh, fireman, save me che-ild!

Now, there is nothing tame about that song, and it is altogether different from the ordinary run of jingling rhymes. It would be impossible to condense more sentiment and facts in four short lines. Critics of the cold and cynical Boston school will doubtless say that this production lacks technique. They may even say that a girl with a face like a horse and buggy would be a dime museum freak, and it is quite likely that they will suggest the impossibility of leaning on a lake, but they will be struck dumb by the tender appeal to the firemen to save the child which so happily concludes the song.

Editor Cowardin believes that the merit of either prose or verse should be measured by results, and tested by this standard his experiment was certainly a most remarkable success. Before he had repeated it many times every member of the editorial convention was humming it. The song had a peculiar fascination for them, and when they adjourned they went their separate ways singing about the mysterious young lady, with the picturesque face, who was leaning on Lake Michigan or some other inland body of water, entirely regardless of the fireman and the baby.

Editor Cowardin is a pioneer in the new art of brevity.

### At It Again.

When Mr. Edward Atkinson, of Boston, goes at anything he goes headforemost, displaying the enthusiasm of the crusader, and the agility of the circus man. He made a statement before the British royal commission on the state of agriculture sometime ago to the effect that the reduction in the price of wheat during the past twenty years was mainly due to the reduction in freight rates between the wheat fields of the west and Liverpool.

It was denied at the time Mr. Atkinson made the statement that there had been such reduction in rates as he claimed. He now goes at the subject again in a London periodical and produces figures to prove that the reduction has been even greater than he claimed. This is not so great a feat, after all, for it is well known that figures in Mr. Atkinson's hands can be made to prove anything. The juggler with his balls and knives is an amateur by the side of Mr. Atkinson and his kaleidoscopic figures.

It is for this reason, we presume, and for no other, that The New York Journal of Commerce falls into the trap that Mr. Atkinson has prepared for the unwary. That paper says:

> The fall in the price of wheat, then, in the past twenty years is nearly all accounted for by the reduction in the cost of getting it to market, and very little of the fall has been taken out of the farmer, and for this there is some offset in the reduced cost of production. As to the reduced cost of production there is room for some difference of opinion. But in freight charges alone there has been a reduction in twenty years of $5.19 per quarter, or 65 cents a bushel. The reduction between the wheat fields and the Atlantic coast is close to fifty cents a bushel. This is a reduction that has not come out of the farmer.
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> At first sight it might not be clear why the English bimetallists should care to break the force of this reasoning. A little reflection will explain the matter; in so far as the reduced price of wheat is due to improvements in transportation the price of wheat to the producer has not been diminished, and the change in price at the selling point cannot be attributed to the demonetization of silver and the increased purchasing power of gold.

The trouble with both Mr. Atkinson and The Journal of Commerce is that they put the cart before the horse. They appear to have a vast interest in this question, and yet their interest is not sufficiently keen to compel them to get at the facts, although these facts lie so close to the surface that it seems to us no fairly intelligent man can miss them.

If the fall in the price of wheat during the past twenty years is due to the reduction in freight rates, it seems to us that the railways are standing mightily in their own light. If they are able to reduce the price of wheat by reducing their rates, they are equally able to raise the price of wheat by raising rates If the managers of these roads have been so foolish as to bring their properties to the verge of bankruptcy, necessitating the passing of dividends, the reduction of salaries and other expenses, and the discharge of thousands of employes, when they might have kept up their rates and the price of wheat at the same time—according to the theory of that great financial organ—The New York Journal of Commerce—then assuredly they ought to be captured and carried to the most convenient insane asylum.

Nothing else is necessary to demonstrate the utter absurdity of the conclusion that The Journal of Commerce draws that the price of wheat has fallen in this country and in Europe because the granger lines have reduced their rates of transportation. But we do not propose to let the matter rest here. The railway managers of this country are not such fools as the New York editor makes them out to be. They have kept up rates, as high as they could keep them, and reductions have been forced upon them by the fall of the price of wheat in London. They had either to reduce rates under the pressure of falling prices or cease to haul the wheat.

In their reports to their stockholders the managers of these roads have been perfectly frank about the matter, and their views have been printed broadcast over the country. They reiterate, over and over again, the self-evident truth that rates of transportation are controlled by prices. When prices of commodities are falling the transportation lines are compelled to reduce rates in order to get business. This is perfectly well understood by railway managers, and has been set forth by them time and again during the past four years. It is perfectly certain that if the absurd contention set up by The Journal of Commerce were correct, all that the transportation lines would have to do would be to combine and increase their rates and thus restore the price of wheat.

In point of fact, however, the price of wheat in this country fell only in response to its fall in Mark Lane, London, where it met the competition of the wheat produced in the silver using countries. An ounce of silver would buy a bushel of wheat in London twenty years ago, and an ounce of silver will buy a bushel of wheat in London today. The Indian or Argentine producer who gets an ounce of silver for his bushel of wheat makes as much profit out of the transaction as he did twenty years ago. The American producer who gets the gold equivalent of an ounce of silver for his bushel of wheat sells it at a loss—all because the gold conspirators have succeeded in reducing the price of silver by demonetizing it.

The Journal of Commerce says that the reduction in transportation rates has been so great that it has saved the wheat producers from loss. What then is the meaning of the discontent and demoralization of the wheat producers of the west? If their profits are measurably the same, owing to the great reduction that has been made in freight rates, why should they complain? Why should the value of their farms shrink away? Why should they be feeding their wheat to their cattle?

It is useless for The Journal of Commerce to try to get away from the facts. No intelligent man can be deceived about them. We do not say that the editor is deceiving himself. We think rather better of him than to believe that he is led captive by the delusion which he endorses in his editorial columns.

So long as we have the single gold standard, just so long will the misery that follows falling prices and shrinking values be the portion of our people.

### Work for Minister Young.

According to advices received at San Francisco, the Guatemalan government has committed an inexcusable outrage upon an American citizen.

It seems that Mr. W. H. Argall, an American citizen, owns some land in Guatemala. Recently the jefe politico of Guatemala appropriated some of Argall's real estate, and when the latter questioned the legality of the proceeding the jefe threw him into prison for his audacity.

Argall asked permission to see the commandant, and the officer in charge of the prison then caused him to be brutally beaten.

Fortunately, General P. M. B. Young, the American minister, heard of the outrage, and demanded the release of the prisoner. The president of Guatemala was appealed to, but he treated the request with contempt, and allowed Argall to remain in confinement for twelve days. At the end of that time the doors of the American's dungeon were thrown open.

General Young has written a full report of the case and forwarded it to Washington, and the matter is now an international issue. It is to be hoped that the state department will take prompt and vigorous action. The rights of American citizens should be protected at any cost in every land under the sun. In the present instance our government will have a valuable representative on deck in the person of Minister Young.

Oh, for a democratic leader to speak for the people in this hour of their misery and distress! However, hurrah for the dollar-and-a-half gold dollar!

Russia and the United States are issuing bonds. The British gold standard makes serfs of the people wherever it operates.

Prepare for another bond issue. The banks that were not in the Stewart syndicate are keen for it. Hurrah for the British gold standard!

It will soon be time for Banker Benedict to come out from under Mr. Cleveland's coat-tails and tell Wall street that we should have another bonds issue. Hurrah for John Sherman and his mates!

Several millions in gold will go out today. Wall street may as well kiss it goodby.

The withdrawal of gold from the treasury has developed into a fierce raid. Nevertheless, hooray for the British gold standard!

At the request of Mr. John D. Berry, we present elsewhere some of the many letters—140 in all—filed with Governor Atkinson testifying to Mr. Berry's ability and commending his qualifications for the position for which his name was presented. While some of these letters were written by parties who did not endorse Mr. Berry for the judgeship, they all unite in expressing confidence in his ability to discharge the duties of the position to which he has been appointed. These are some of the letters filed with the governor, and in justice to Mr. Berry, who requests their publication, they are presented elsewhere.

### *EDITORIAL COMMENT.*

Every one in New York seems to be busy in writing or in selling books, says a correspondent of The Literary World. The great increase in the number of magazines, large and small, has created a demand for matter of all kinds; and, as the supply of new authors does not seem to equal the new demand, writers who have made their reputation are overrun with requests for material. The editor of a prominent periodical told me not long ago that he suddenly determined to get up an extra holiday number as an experiment. He went to a "broker in brains" here, who usually can be depended upon to procure almost anything in the way of short stories, and told him to get a good one suitable for the season from either Mr. Kipling, Dr. Doyle, Mr. Stockton or Mr. Richard Harding Davis. The broker reported that Mr. Stockton had not a single manuscript on hand of any nature, excepting a short sketch for juvenile readers; that Mr. Kipling would not write a story for less than a thousand dollars, and was busy, anyhow; that Dr. Doyle had nothing on hand and no time to write anything; and that young Mr. Davis was hard at work on his first novel and so occupied that he could not even consider more work. The editor was in despair, but I understand that he has about prevailed on one of those mentioned to break in upon his present task, for the sake of the emergency, and turns out a story of the nature desired.

The New York World has the following from Washington: "Reed's boom for the presidency grows. It was the gossip about the house today that 'Tom' Platt had intimated his preference for Reed, and this, coupled with the understanding that Senator Quay has come out for the Maine statesman, has served to give Reed stock a great boom. Platt and Quay opposed Harrison at Minneapolis, and in the minds of the republican leaders there is no likelihood of their support being captured for the ex-president. There is no doubt that Quay is for Reed, and the Platt gossip is accepted as true. The basis of this talk cannot be learned, but it is certain that some word has come from New York within the last few days. The gossip is the more readily accepted by the friends of Reed, as it is believed that Mr. Morton is opposed to Mr. Harrison's nomination again. Morton has not forgotten Minneapolis and the unceremonious way in which the Harrison people rejected the proposal that he be renominated for vice-president. As between Reed and McKinley, there is no doubt in the minds of Reed's followers which way the Morton influence will be thrown. It is the belief of the enthusiastic friends of Mr. Reed that he will have the delegation of every eastern state instructed for him and that enough support will be drawn from the far west and the south to insure his nomination."

Says a Richmond special: "The rumor that Senator Daniel had an idea of entering the ministry has given rise to a great deal of gossip here, but it was not a surprise to everybody. A well-known clergyman said today:

"'Senator Daniel was brought up by Mrs. Warwick of Lynchburg, a pious woman, whose great ambition was that he should enter the Methodist ministry, and Judge Daniel, the senator's father, was willing that his son should follow that calling. Had not the war come the young man would have gone into the ministry. He has always had a desire to preach, and this fact is well known to his intimate friends. When a member of the Virginia legislature in the days of the readjustment, he was on intimate terms with the Rev. J. J. Hall, member from Princess Anne, who was a local preacher and a man of great piety. Senator Daniel admired him extravagantly, and the influence of Mr. Hall's life affected him much. It is said that he repeatedly told Mr. Hall that he would cheerfully give up all his worldly ambitions if he could return to the days of his youth and follow out his inclination and his determination at that time to be an humble minister of God.'"

Certain French physicians cure colds by applying ice to the spine. Professor Pictet last week put before the Academy of Medicine the whole system of frigotherapeutics. He began by experimenting on dogs, and found that when they were plunged into a bath of low temperature and were kept there for some time they became ravenously hungry. Being himself a sufferer from stomach disease he had forgotten what it was to have an appetite. So he descended into the refrigerating tank at a temperature many degrees below zero. He wrapped a thick pelisse and other warm clothes about him, but after four minutes he began to feel hungry. At the end of eight minutes he climbed out of the tank with a painfully keen appetite. Many such experiments were made. All meals taken, after a short stay in the refrigerator, agreed with him. He found that his dyspepsia was cured after the tenth descent.

The Kansas City Times has the following: "Joel Chandler Harris is a most charming writer. His stories, while full of interest, always have a humorous tinge to entertain his readers. He made his reputation that extendend across the waters as 'Uncle Remus.' His latest book, 'Little Mr. Thimblefinger,' is calculated to interest old and young folks alike, but it is especially charming to the children, who delight in a story well told. Some of the stories of 'Little Mr. Thimblefinger' were gathered from the superstitious negroes, some are middle Georgia folk lore, while many of them are purely inventions of the author's mind. But all are fascinating and told in the writer's inimitable style. The work is handsomely illustrated, and is from the press of Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Cambridge, Mass."

A damage suit, in which the jury found for the plaintiff, has been closed in the St. Louis county court, at Clayton, Mo., which, it is believed, has no precedent in the courts of the United States or England. The case was one in which a father claimed and got a verdict for $5,000 for the death of his son, who was killed by a railroad train. It was proved that the boy was standing alongside the track when the train rushed by at a high rate of speed, and that he was hurled to the ground and forced under the cars by the current of air made by the swift motion of the train. Deep interest has been manifested in the peculiar and new feature in the case, the outcome of which in the higher courts is likely to open up a new field of action for damages against railroads.

### *RURAL LIFE IN GEORGIA.*

Oglethorpe Echo: Jolly Tom B. Lumpkin was at home with his parents a part of last week and undertook to beat his uncle, Professor Tom Biggs, killing birds last Friday and Saturday. He failed to quite do so, however. The professor killed thirty-six and Tom thirty-four. Tom was using a gun belonging to the crack shot of Atlanta which accounts for his luck.

Macon County Citizen: The henhouse on Constable Will Lewis's place in Montezuma was blown down by the gale early yesterday morning, but when day began to break the old rooster began to crow from beneath the pile of ruins just as though nothing had happened.

Columbia Sentinel: A gentleman living in Harlem asked one of his neighbors a few days ago if he "was even with the world?" To which the latter replied that he would be a big fool to have lived to the age he had reached and not be several hundred dollars ahead of the world.

### *THE EXPOSITION.*

Swainsboro Pine Forest: Has it ever occurred to any of our sister wiregrass counties that an exhibit peculiar to the wiregrass section of the state would be a novel feature at the exposition in Atlanta next year? Let wiregrass Georgia gather itself up and have a "wiregrass exhibit." Leaving out the coast or palmetto counties, there are about thirty-five of the largest counties in the state carpeted all over with wiregrass; and this section of country has characteristics peculiar to its own peculiar situation, which differ materially in some respects from other portions of the state, so much so that the experiment of a wiregrass exhibit is well worth the effort.

Cedartown Standard: The Cotton States and International exposition will attract thousands of home seekers to Georgia next year, and the whole state will share with Atlanta in the benefits derived. In view of this fact, the legislature made a mistake in cutting the appropriation from $25,000 to $17,500.

The Madisonian: Atlanta's exposition managers are pushing that enterprise, and space for exhibits is being rapidly taken.

**Our Great Exposition.**

From The New York Journal of Commerce.

Next year there will be held at Atlanta, from Septembter 18th to December 31st, an international exposition, primarily, of course, an exhibition of the products of the cotton states. It will celebrate the thirtieth's anniversary of Atlanta's rise from the ashes in which the civil war left it, which event is typified by the emblem of the phoenix and the motto "Resurgens" upon the seal of the exposition. We trust we give no offense to other southern cities, all of which are progressive and prosperous, when we say that Atlanta is the most progressive city of its section, the city most typical of the new south. It was a strategic point in war; it is no less so in peace; it is a Gate City through which no small portion of the south has passed into a broader and a better industrial development. Atlanta and the state of Georgia have taken leading parts in supplementing the vast natural resources of the south with extensive manufactures. The exposition deserves well of the country and the industries of the north ought to be thoroughly represented there, both for their own benefit and to make the exposition really national. Nearly ten years ago the cotton states held an exposition in New Orleans, which was highly creditable, and we believe useful to them; it involved the promoters in heavy losses, but it was an exposition worth traveling far to see. The lapse of ten years and experience gained at Chicago cannot fail to make the Atlanta exposition finer than that at New Orleans, and as Atlanta is not so far from the center of population as New Orleans we trust there will be no such discrepancy as there was in the Crescent City between the receipts and the expenditures.

### *JUST FROM GEORGIA.*

**A Christmas Carol.**

The Christmas season comes apace
  (Some cash I'll have to borrow.)
The happiest time for saying grace.
  (I'll pay that bill tomorrow!)

The days are bright, the stars shine clear,
  The frost is on the fences.
(You're too extravagant, my dear—
  You're running up expenses!)

The boys go whistling down the street,
  Like honeybees in clover.
(I'll have a thousand bills to meet
  Before this thing is over!)

Come in, O Christmas time—come in!
  No cares shall now distress me.
(No cash! No cash! My wife has been
  Through all my pockets—bless me!)

**Rural Journalism.**

Subscriber—How is this—you have announced another suspension for a week?

Editor—I had to. You see, they were $20 in arrears out in the settlement, so I hired a horse and buggy, at $3 a day, collected $6 and was out two weeks; so I've got to take a week off now to figger and see just where I come out!

An exchange says: "The southern poets are now writing in their shirt sleeves." That accounts for some of the ragged effusions the editors are receiving now.

**Blessings in Disguise.**

This life is full o' blessin's—
  You strike 'em every day;
If we don't have snow in Georgia,
  Don't have to hire a sleigh!

Hard times has hit the people
  In the valleys an' the hills;
But folks that's got no credit
  Won't run no Christmas bills!

"The holiday season is upon us," exclaims a Georgia editor. Get out from under it then, and have a good time!

**Christmas in the Backwoods.**

"Well, my good man, going to have a Christmas tree this year?"

"Yes; done got it!"

"Indeed?"

"That's what!"

"Where is it?"

"Hit's down thar in the swamp, an' ef the dogs don't tell no lies, thar's a 'possum up it!"

An exchange says that Rudyard Kipling gets $5 a line for his poems. This statement is unfortunate. It will put in motion thousands of rhyme mills that have heretofore remained idle for lack of water.

**A Christmas Jingle.**

  Here's toys and toys
    For all the boys,
And dolls for all the girls.
  (Heaven bless 'em all
    From spring to fall—
Their kisses and their curls!)

  Here's toys and toys
    For all the boys
Of sixty years or more,
  Who still can see
    The Christmas tree,
With all the joy of yore!

  If little wealth,
    Here's joy and health
For young and old, as when
  They made first cause
    With Santa Claus—
The man among all men!

  Here's reason, rhyme,
    And bells that chime,
And horns with joyful blare;
  Here's toil's release,
    And love and peace
In Christmas—once a year!

**Literary ($5) Notes.**

The Southern Magazine died with flying colors. This should be a consolation to the authors who have poems in suit.

It is said that Will N. Harben's hair has turned white since his residence in England. This was caused by Harben's attempt to give an American translation of the jokes in Punch.

The Atlanta Society of Rising Sun Authors returns thanks to Samuel Minturn Peck for five Christmas turkeys from the Alabama poet's Tuscaloosa farm. These turkeys were raised by hand and will fall by the same process.

It is expected that Rudyard Kipling will write a hymn for the Atlanta exposition. The legislature will be asked to consider an appropriation for this purpose.

While here, Mr. John J. Flinn, of The Chicago Herald, gathered materials for his new southern novel. He found seven living privates in Georgia, and a farmer who always comes out ahead on cotton.

### *IN GEORGIA SANCTUMS.*

Augusta is one of the liveliest newspaper towns in the south now. Evening papers are falling around like a snowstorm, and, as a rule, 5 cents buys five of them. The editors, however, are "keeping their tempers" and there is no "blood on the moon."

A Georgia exchange welcomes Christmas in this brief, hearty fashion:

"We may not have a world o' wealth—
  In life we make no noise;
But here's an appetite and health,
  And cash for Christmas toys."

The Augusta newspapers give up their editorial columns now to explaining their position as regards morning and afternoon papers, press associations, and kindred topics.

The Cedartown Standard man is candid. He sings:

"Of all the sad words
  That sting and hurt,
The saddest are these—
  'We have no shirt!'"

The Southern News is a new weekly newspaper at Statham. Its motto—taken from a verse in the "Just from Georgia" column of The Constitution, is practical and to the point, towit: "The best o' all the country is 'way down south!"

This is the way The Cedartown Standard proposes to build up the town:

"Rush the growler out of town!
Hush the howler with a frown!
  Choke the croaker!
  Cheer the joker!
And the kicker—knock him down!"

The Rome Tribune is making a feature of its Sunday editions. It is an all-round good newspaper.

### *SOME SOUTHERN STORIES.*

They are having gay times at Cloverport, Ky. A revival is going on in one of the churches, and in a recent sermon the Rev. Ben M. Bogard made some caustic remarks about the saloon-keepers of the town. He must have spoken rather sharply. At any rate, he succeeded in wounding the sensibilities of the gentlemen of that profession, one of whom, Popham by name, replied by issuing about 1,000 circulars, which he scattered over the town and in which he intimated that the reverend gentleman was "a son of a gun from Kalamazoo." Also that he was a "hobo," and that if he didn't like the remarks made about him he could "get his change at Popham's saloon." "When a man slinks behind a pulpit," said Popham, "and gets personal in his remarks, he is a sneaking coward and he can't come outside and say it. When any carpet-bagger from any place says that the people of Cloverport are all mean and are on the broad road to hell we think that he just simply lies. Good and noble men are always about Popham's saloon. Even the genial and wholesouled Brother —— dropped in last week." Mr. Popham didn't say brother blank, but gave the name of the pastor of one of the Cloverport churches, and the charge that this reverend brother visited his saloon created a sensation. In his next sermon the Rev. Bogard answered these charges by remarks more caustic than those he had previously made, and at the conclusion of his sermon he stepped from behind his pulpit and invited Popham and his friends to shoot if they wanted to. The whole row was provoked by the enterprise of some whisky dealer, who sent a large lot of whisky to the Cloverport saloon keepers and distributed checks for the same among the people, who could go and get free whisky by presenting the checks.

Two Morman elders are promulgating the doctrine of their church in the Hickory Grove neighborhood, Kentucky. They hold services in schoolhouses, preaching about three sermons at a place, and canvass every house, leaving tracts and other literature concerning their doctrine.

The strongest testimony yet given to the scarcity of money is that of the presiding elders of the North Carolina conference, who report distressing financial conditions throughout the bounds of the conference.

Colonel Morris, of Phoenix, Fla., who went to considerable expense to secure bloodhounds to chase convicts, was a little surprised a few mornings since to find that one of his trusties had taken his departure and carried the dogs with him.

The fusion legislature proposes to gerrymander the cities of North Carolina so as to make democratic victory in them impossible in the future.

Saturday evening a large deer came trotting down the principal street at Carrabelle, Fla., and Tom Chason shot him from his window.

### *THE LEGISLATURE'S WORK.*

Macon Telegraph: The short time during which the legislature could sit at this session perhaps made it impossible to work out a complete electoral system, but there is time enough at the next session, which occurs before a general election, to supplement this registration law with a ballot law of the right kind. We say again that the legislature is entitled to, and will receive the thanks of the people of this state for the skill and promptness with which it has met what everybody recognized as an emergency.

Savannah News: Of the three reform acts that relative to registration is by far the most important. As far as we are able to judge it is an absolutely non-partisan law. The rights of populists and republicans are as fully protected by it as are those of the democrats. Ample opportunity is given to every one to register who has the right to do so. We are confident that the people will be thoroughly satisfied with it as soon as they fully understand it.

Columbus Enquirer-Sun: If the new registration law in its operation proves successful, it will of itself make this legislature famous. We are of the opinion that this general assembly, composed of so many new members, inexperienced in parliamentary work, has acquitted itself very creditably, and the record gives promise of good work in the next session.

Cedartown Standard: A state registration law, guaranteeing fair elections in Georgia, was passed, as were some valuable insurance laws. It was distinctively a business session, and very little time was wasted in idle speech-making.

Griffin News: Those who think the legislature did not do much at its session just closed might be thankful for what it didn't do.

Augusta Herald: The Venable bill and the registration bill were the triumphs of the legislative session.

### *LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.*

**A Noble Sentiment.**

Editor Constitution—An incident came to the knowledge of the writer a few days ago that is worthy of record.

It concerns two bright little sisters living out on Peachtree and members of different grades in the primary department of Calhoun street school. They have been reared in the lap of luxury, and to them Santa Claus has been very lavish in dispensing his favors. A few days ago the mother asked them what they would like for the approaching Christmas. The little girls, knowing they already had a surfeit of toys, thought of a novel change. They retired to a back part of the room and consulted together as to what they should ask for. Finally they returned and said: "Mamma, if you will give us something by which we can make a present to every child in our grades at school we will not ask for anything for ourselves."

What a noble sentiment even for mature minds, and if those who usually indulge in an extravagant exchange of gifts would imitate this suggestion Christmas times would bring gladness to the numbers rather than to the few. P.

### IN WOMANHOOD'S BLOOM.

**The Sad Death of Mrs. Agnes Shields Corley Yesterday Morning.**

Mrs. Agnes Shields Corley died at her residence in this city yesterday morning at 4 o'clock after a brief illness of only one week.

The circumstances of her death are painfully sad. Only a year ago she became the beautiful bride of Mr. J. C. Corley, a substantial young business man of this city, and was just in the bloom of her bright young womanhood. Her death is a great bereavement, not only to her sorrow-stricken husband, but to all who knew and loved her in this city.

Her maiden name was Miss Agnes Shields. Her girlhood days were passed in Atlanta, and, as a graduate of the Girls' High school, she was one of the brightest young ladies that ever passed the threshold of that institution. Possessed of a lovely Christian character, she was the embodiment of all that was pure and good and death to her was but the change from earth to heaven and from the intercourse of gentle friends to the fellowship of God's pure angels.

The funeral will occur from her late residence this morning.

### HOW MUCH IS YOUR INCOME?

**That's What Revenue Agent Chapman Will Soon Want to Know.**

The capitalists of Georgia will soon be called on to contribute their share to the income tax.

The regulations have been approved by the secretary of the treasury and the law will go in operation about January 10th next.

The tax will be collected by Revenue Agent W. H. Chapman, and the return is to include all incomes received in the year 1894, from January 1st to December 21st.

Colonel Chapman, when seen yesterday, said that he has received no advices on the subject from Washington yet.

"The regulations will not be forwarded to me until the appropriation bill, now pending before congress, passes," said he.

"This appropriation will be used to operate the law and I don't think I can get down to work until the beginning of the new year.

"I can say just how the law will be operated until I get my instructions. Possibly the old bank law system, in which the taxpayer was allowed to make a sworn statement, may be used. This, however, is only conjecture on my part."

Colonel Chapman thinks that the provisions of the law will be made plain by the blanks, which will be furnished the collector.

The tax on incomes will be due and payable on or before July 1st.

If any person fails to make return or makes false return the collector is to make return for him from evidence obtained by summoning the person and examining his books and from all other evidence obtainable, and shall add 50 per cent to the amount of tax found due as a penalty for neglect and 100 per cent for a fraudulent return.

**Another Bier, if You Please.**

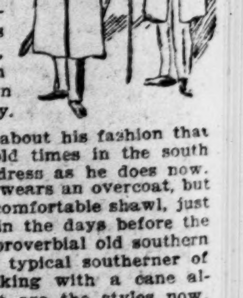
New Orleans, La., December 14.—(Special.) The Henry Bier indicted by the grand jury is not the Henry Beer of our firm, H. & B. Beer.

### *TALK OF THE TOWN.*

"It was up in the mountains of old Habersham," said Mr. Lucius Perry Hills, the well-known composer and all-round artist, who makes a hit wherever and whenever he gives a lecture. "Yes, away up in the blue mountains of north Georgia. I had gone up there at the invitation of the promoters of the chautauqua at Demorest to deliver a lecture. The day had been beautiful and bright, but just about the time for the sun to sink behind the peaks of blue there arose a cloud which gradually spread into a storm of wind and rain. The lightning flashed across the dark, angry skies in fury, the rain poured down in torrents and the thunders echoed from mountain to mountain in a way that sent cold shivers to me as I contemplated lecturing to empty benches that night. But I went down to the platform and was sitting there amid it all perfectly willing to get rid of the concern at all hazards. They said I would have no audience and suggested postponement, but I said nay. I wanted to give that lecture even if the man who was there to introduce me constituted the sum total of my audience. Well, I started off. The rain had just begun to slack up, but now and then the thunder would roar like a thousand cannons over the mountains and the lightning would flash right across my face, but I went on with the lecture. As the rain held up by and by the people of the little town came out and really and truly before I got that lecture off my hands I was as happy as a jaybird on Friday, with a vast audience before me laughing at every little funny turn and entering fully into the spirit of my discourse. I don't think I ever enjoyed giving a lecture more, for I don't think any lecture I ever gave was appreciated so much as that. We went away that night a little wet, but in a good humor."

"Atlanta is growing to be a very smoky city, if you have noticed," said Mr. Percy Adams yesterday. "Look at those heavy black curls of coal smoke floating out of the Aragon chimney and now turn your eyes down there toward the Kimball and watch the great flood of black dust floating out over the city. Now look out towards the Marietta street factory at that tall chimney throwing its smoke down on the town. It is something that might be arrested and checked. The arrangements they have these days for catching smoke and consuming it are such as would be of great advantage to Atlanta and would do much for making clearer and more agreeable the atmosphere on the streets. It is extremely fortunate that so few of the large factories about Atlanta are so near the center of town. In this respect Atlanta is ahead of many other cities, but even our smaller evil might be lessened."

Already the march of the hotel waiter is directed towards the south, and the Florida hotels are daily filling up with the itinerant knights of the napkin. Many of them come through Atlanta and dozens of them are to be seen making application here and there about town for places during the exposition. It is an interesting study how they keep posted on such matters. They began to drift to Chicago more than two years before the world's fair opened and by the time the gates were thrown open hundreds of them were hanging on at the restaurants and cafes about the city. It is so in Atlanta's case already. Letters of inquiry are received from them from away up in the large cities of the east and from away out across the western plains by the hotel and restaurant keepers of Atlanta every day. One thing is certain, Atlanta will have no trouble in getting enough hotel waiters to feed the vast throngs of people that are to come here a year from now.



There is an elderly man to be seen about Atlanta now and then who is, indeed a picturesque character. He dresses after olden fashion and looks considerably behind the times, though his dress is neat and nice in its simplicity.

His name is Barnwell, and he comes from South Carolina, being a member of an old and well-known South Carolina family. There is something about his fashion that takes one back to old times in the south when men used to dress as he does now. Mr. Barnwell never wears an overcoat, but wraps himself in a comfortable shawl, just as they used to do in the days before the war. He wears the proverbial old southern slouch hat and is a typical southerner of the old school, walking with a cane always. How different are the styles now. A man never wears a shawl in this modern day, except it be in the shape of the "heavy swell" capes that are now worn in New York to some extent. The style is a long-skirted ulster with a great heavy collar. It is an interesting spectacle to see amid such fashions and styles the old style of dress, which is as striking as 'tis picturesque.

What has become of the Atlanta Chess Club? There used to be a great deal of fun for the lovers of the sport down at the rooms on Whitehall street, where they used to meet every day and play hour after hour. There are some good players in Atlanta, too, and it is interesting to watch them play. The old club used to have a large membership and was always a busy scene. Some of the members have been lost lately, several of the best players leaving the city. Chess is a game that never loses its fascination for those who have once learned it and grown fond of it. The old men who played it long ago still play it with the same interest and get just as profoundly concerned in the various movements and little tussles on the board as they did in the days of their youth.

There is some talk in Atlanta of getting up a match game between some of the best players if it can be arranged.

"Speaking about theatrical men," said Herbert Matthews yesterday, "W. A. McCormell, the manager of the American theatrical exchange, leads them all as far as ability and geniality are concerned. Mr. McCormell not only maps out a route for over one hundred companies and fills the dates of over one hundred and fifty houses in the country, but is adviser for all the leading managers of the country. He is the Napoleon of theatrical affairs and can appear to as good an advantage at the gambol of the Lambs Club in New York as he can map the route of a successful star or combination."

# A PRECIOUS PAIR.

### Big Lumber Swindlers Caught by the Atlanta Detectives.

### THEY ARE WEALTHY AND WELL KNOWN

**They Skipped from Philadelphia to Avoid the Courts—Both Confess and Will Go Back Without a Requisition.**

Harry W. Wells and Charles W. Rowe, two wealthy Philadelphians, connected with the big lumber swindle of that city, were arrested in Atlanta yesterday.

The men formerly operated the Wells Lumber Company, one of the largest concerns of its kind in the city of brotherly love. During the war between the lumberman's exchange and the cut rate dealers both men, together with several other firms, were placed under arrest by the United States authorities, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes.

They were committed at the preliminary hearing and released on light bond. In the meantime other indictments were being prepared showing extensive swindles.

In some way both men learned that they would be further criminated and decided to skip. On October 10th they left Philadelphia together. Since then they have been at large until arrested yesterday by Detectives Wright, Looney and Cason. Both men acknowledge their identity and tell about the whole affair.

ROWE. WELLS.

They are willing to be taken back without extradition papers.

The catch is the biggest made by the detectives this year, as the men have been searched for over the whole country and a standing reward of $1,500 is offered by the different parties interested.

**A Picturesque Pair.**

Several weeks ago Detectives Cason and Looney caught sight of the pair in the Kimball house, where they were chatting away with some northern capitalists, with whom they had been traveling.

There was nothing in the appearance of the men to excite suspicion. Next morning they were seen by the detectives in the same place and with the intuition of men who make it a business to study the actions of their fellow men the officers decided that there was something queer in the conduct of the pair.

They decided to shadow them and that afternoon it was learned that the men were taking quarters at Folsom's, where they had registered as Harry Haze and brother.

This was another point of suspicion. There was not the slightest resemblance between the men. They seemed about the same size and both had stunted brown mustaches, but their general features were entirely different.

One of the men, who last night came forth in the person of Rowe, appeared to be fifty years old. His hair was slightly gray and his countenance creased with wrinkles. He had a heavy, phlegmatic look and moved about slowly.

His companion was much younger and more versatile and fluent in conversation. There was an absence of the sharp accent which the older man used. He talked with much emphasis and showed an abundance of animation.

Several days after this the detectives spotted the men when they moved from Folsom's and took up quarters at the Davis house, 47 Trinity avenue.

Here they took rooms and furnished them in elegant style. In the meantime the younger man had connected himself with the Atlanta Machine Company, where he had shown himself to be well versed in everything relating to the machinery business. He accepted a good position and went regularly to work. He was known at the new boarding place and at his place of business as Frank Johnson.

The older man, too, dropped the name Haze and introduced himself as Charles Robison. He remained in his apartments at the house most of the time, where he was engaged in carrying on a large correspondence.

It was noticed by the detectives that the men avoided showing themselves on the streets as much as possible and when they did venture out for any time both went together.

One morning soon after the men were spotted one of the officers came across a circular calling for the arrest of two men who were wanted in Philadelphia for swindling in the lumber business. The description corresponded to the pair which was shadowed. Convinced beyond all question that the right men were in their net, the officers communicated by telegram with the Philadelphia authorities. It was learned that they were wanted badly and that the rewards in the capture amounted to $1,500.

**Wells Wanted to Sprint.**

Wells was at work in the Atlanta machine works when the officers made the arrest. He was busy supervising the loading of machinery on a car.

To all appearances he must have been on the alert and had revealed his identity to one of the young men with whom he was at work.

As the officers entered the yard they caught sight of Wells standing near the car box. Officers Wright and Cason went direct to him, while Detective Looney made a circuit around the building to approach the man from the rear and cut off all means of escape.

The young man at work with Wells was evidently aware that the detectives were present. He was seen to jump in the car door and wave his hand violently in the direction of Wells. It was sufficient notice for the swindler. Quick as a flash he turned on his heel and darted out the rear end of the car. As he was about to sprint off Detective Looney appeared and placed his iron grip on the young fellow's arm.

"Just wait a minute," said the detective. "Guess we want you, Mr. Wells."

"I don't know what you are referring to. You've got the wrong man this time," laughed the man as the other officers came up.

"We'll see about that," was the reply from Chief Wright. "Just come with us."

The man objected at first to be taken to the police station and declared that he was not wanted for any charge.

He was informed that it was of no use to object, as the proof of his identity was sufficient.

"Well, gentlemen, it is no use for me to hold out any longer. I reckon I'm the man you're looking for. Harry Wells is my name, and I came from Philadelphia, where I am wanted for fraud in the lumber business. I'm really relieved at arrest. I couldn't have stood the strain much longer. I was on the point of giving myself up and I am glad that you have me." Wells then gave an account in full of the crime for which he was wanted.

**Was a Surprise to Rowe.**

As soon as Wells was in safety at the station house the officers began their search for Rowe. He had left the boarding house and was found at the Markham, where he was in warm conversation with a brother member of the Grand Army of the Republic. Rowe had just finished a description of the battle of Gettysburg when Officer Cason tapped him on the shoulder.

"What'll you have?" he asked as the detective grasped his arm. He was told that a man wished to see him at once. "He told me to bring you to him," added the detective. Without informing Rowe what he was wanted for the detectives led him to police headquarters.

The door of Captain Wright's office was thrown open and the men were brought face to face.

They shook hands heartily and took the affair as a good joke.

"Harry, old man, we're in it at last."

"That's right, Charley, but this beats the business we've been in for the last three months. This work of keeping out of sight of the officers and trying to avoid arrest is the hardest thing I ever tried to do."

Wells, the most communicative of the two, talked the whole affair over. He told about the war between the lumberman's exchange and other dealers in Philadelphia. A number of firms were placed under arrest for doing business fraudulently and the members sentenced to eighteen months in the penitentiary. His firm was carrying on business in the same way. He did not care to come under the sentence of the court and, after his preliminary hearing, he decided to leave. With Rowe he got off to Chicago and since his escape has visited all of the largest western towns. They were located in Cincinnati and made several narrow escapes there.

Wells is a man of wealth and prominence. He says that he is an electrical engineer by profession and has held high positions with Edison. He now operates several electric plants and has a large amount of property in Philadelphia.

Both men say that they can arrange to settle their affairs and hope to make a good showing when carried back to Philadelphia. They say that the charges against them are instigated and pushed by the lumberman's exchange.

It is the biggest catch of the year for the detectives and they were being congratulated by all who heard of it yesterday afternoon.

## WANTED BY THEIR BONDSMEN.

**Wells and Rowe Were Engaged in a Lumber Swindling Concern.**

Philadelphia, Pa., December 14.—(Special.) The W. W. Wells and Charles W. Rowe arrested in Atlanta are supposed to be the men who with others were indicted by a grand jury in the United States court here for extensive swindling operations throughout the country. They were accused of establishing a bogus banking firm in a prominent business section of this city and running it as an annex to a lumber business which they conducted elsewhere.

According to the charges against them, their plan of operations was to order valuable consignments of lumber from dealers in remote southern and western sections of the country and to refer to the fictitious banking house run by themselves for favorable reference as to their financial standing. The reference was prompt in forthcoming and also was the consignment of lumber, but the payment for the goods was a feature conspicuous by its absence in their transactions. The fraud was discovered after the men interetsed in it here had made a mint of money and many arrests followed.

Lumber dealers from all over the country came here to testify before Judge Butler in the United States court against the swindlers and many convictions followed. Wells and Rowe were out on bail and they did not appear for trial. Their bondsmen have been looking for them with some anxiety ever since.

## VIRGINIA BOYS COMING.

**A Concert by the Glee and Banjo Clubs of Washington and Lee University.**

Christmas theatrical offerings include a concert to be given by the Glee and Banjo clubs of the Washington and Lee University, of Lexington, Va.

This excellent entertainment will be furnished on the night of December 27th, and will be a social event. The concert is to be given for the benefit of the Lee-Jackson confederate camp, of Lexington, and The Southern Collegian, the official magazine of the university.

The clubs are composed of the best material to be found and can equal, if not exceed, any glee club on the road this year. There are about twenty-five members of the club, each of whom has been selected after a careful test of his ability and have since been trained until they are able to render the difficult selections in a manner which will be appreciated by all lovers of good music.

# WHAT OGLES HEARD

### It Mado Lively Testimony in Uncle Sam's Court Yesterday.

### IT IMPLICATED PROMINENT GENTLEMEN

**Witness Ogle Told What He Said Had Been Told Him by Green Treadwell—The Disclosures.**

A witness in the United States court created a sensation yesterday morning. It was during the trial of C. C. Brown, Berry Turner and W. B. Callahan, who are under indictment for white capping in Whitfield county.

The witness was Mr. Charles F. Ogles, a farmer living near Tilton, in Whitfield county. Mr. Ogles was subpoenaed as a witness for the defense, but was excused.

Assistant District Attorney Rucker learned that the old gentleman would be a good witness for his side of the case and put him on the stand.

He had not spoken a half dozen words before every eye in the courtroom was riveted on him and the falling of a pin could have been heard. In a clear, distinct voice he told of a kuklux organization in Whitfield county which, according to his seemingly incredible tale, numbered as members some of the most prominent men in the state. The witness said he had heard mentioned as members of the organization Mr. Paul B. Trammell, the present revenue collector; Hon. Trammell Starr, a member of the state senate; Representative Longley and Hon. John Black, the mayor of Dalton, and ex-Senator Rembert.

The witness said that he was present at a meeting held in a barn at Tilton during the fall of 1892, for the purpose of organizing a kuklux association. He had been induced to become a member of the organization and consented to do so because he was afraid if he refused his life would be in danger. There were present at that meeting he said, the following:

Charles C. Brown and W. B. Callahan, two of the defendants on trial; J. D. Joyce, John Townsend, Constable Alfred Whitner, Lorenza Harris, Jim Townsend, Tom Hayes and W. A. Adams.

Those who were present were initiated, the witness said, and took the following oath:

"I do solemnly swear before Almighty God and these witnesses that I will surrender my body to the will of my friends, and that if I serve as a grand juror or go before the grand jury as a witness, I will do all I can to prevent bills of indictment against my friends."

Two or three weeks later, the witness said, the organization held a meeting for the purpose of electing officers. There were present at this meeting W. B. Griggs, Henry Johnson, Harper Coker, Fayette Fincher, Henry Fincher, Jeff Fincher, Henry Wade, William Wade, John Keith, Frank Morgan, Columbus Caldwell and Rev. W. L. Brown, Jr., the Baptist preacher.

Charles Brown, the witness continued, was elected captain of the organization and Rev. W. L. Brown, Jr., lieutenant, while Green Treadwell, Rufe Greer, W. D. Griggs and Frank Morgan were chosen as referees.

The witness mentioned in addition to these the names of other prominent people whom, he said, had been mentioned to him as members of the order by persons soliciting him to join. Among these were Hon. Paul Trammell, Hon. Trammell Starr, Representative Longley, Hon. John Black and ex-Senator Rembert. These names were given him, he said, as a token of the order's respectability, and there was no evidence to connect them with any crimes committed by the kuklux. The witness said that some of those known to him personally as members of the order were Dick Green, Pick Green, Berry Turner, Dr. Sam Brown, ex-Senator Green Treadwell, James Adams, W. R. Greyer, Frank Greyer, John Buffington, John Hilton, Anse Grashoof, Paul Trammell and Dr. Craven.

When Mr. Ogles left the stand court adjourned for dinner and during the recess the sensational testimony was on everybody's lips.

Collector Trammell did not seem in the least disturbed over the connection of his name with the kuklux band. He hardly considered it worthy of serious denial. The other gentlemen involved, who were in the city yesterday, treat the charge in the same way. Mr. Trammell said that he had been very active in his efforts to break up such lawlessness and had lent the government all the aid he could in that direction. He and his friends believe that this is a ruse on the part of the white cappers to draw public sympathy. By alleging the connection of prominent people with the organization it would give it an air of respectability which would throttle the vengeance of the courts. Several witnesses were examined by the government in rebuttal during the afternoon session, after which court adjourned.

No evidence of material importance was adduced during the afternoon. The trial will be resumed this morning and a number of witnesses who have been telegraphed for will be examined. An effort will be made by the defense to break down the testimony of Ogles.

**Damage by Gas Explosion.**

Danville, Ill., December 14.—Explosion of gas last evening damaged the new postoffice building to the extent of $2,000. The new building was to have been occupied last evening and the gas was turned on the first time. There was a smell of escaping gas and while searching for it with lighted matches the explosion took place. As a result plate glass windows were blown out in the southeast corner and the flooring on the first and second stories torn up.

# WITH THE RAILROADS

### Meeting of the Rate Committee of the Southern Association.

### TUESDAY THEY WILL GET TOGETHER

**The Rate Committee of the Southern Passenger Association—Other News and Gossip of the Rail.**

There will be an important meeting of the rate committee of the Southern Railway and Steamship Association in this city next Tuesday.

The meeting is for the purpose of getting fertilizer rates adujsted in a satisfactory manner and placing them on the schedule for the season that is approaching.

One of the most important questions to come before the meeting will be the coal and iron and the lumber rates, about which there is always a great deal of wrangling at the meetings of the rates committee.

The last meeting of the committee was held in this city on the 23d of October and at that session many matters were taken up which were never finished. The questions went to the last meeting of the executive board of the association and some of them were not settled even then to the satisfaction of those who form the membership of the board, which includes all the presidents and general managers of the railroad properties of the territory covered by the association.

The meeting of the rate committee next Tuesday will have many things that have been attracting the attention of the association lately to deal with and it is certain that there will be a very interesting and important session for the railroaders. The rate committee of the Southern Railway and Steamship Association is composed of the general freight agents and traffic managers of all the roads in the territory covered by the association.

The next highest authority is the executive board, which is composed of the presidents and general managers of the railroads forming the association, and the highest power of all is the board of arbitration, which is like the senate of the United States.

The commissioner has special powers that are brought into effect all the while.

**The Passenger Rate Men.**

There have been many interesting issues before the rate committee of the Southern Passenger Association held in New York for the past two or three days.

The question of special privileges to winter tourists to Florida came up, and it has been decided to give them all manner of concessions in the way of stopover privileges here and there en route to Florida.

Many of the leading passenger agents in the south were at the rate meeting in New York. Among those who went from Atlanta were Messrs. Sam Hardwick and Charley Harman.

The rate committee of the Southern Passenger Association has nothing to do with the questions that have lately caused the differences that have grown up among the members of the association, but it is thought that something will be done at this meeting of the passenger agents that will have a tendency to bring about an adjustment between the roads that are at outs.

The Louisville and Nashville was the road, it seems, to cause the quarrel. It is claimed by the Queen and Crescent, which was the first of the roads to give notice that it intended to withdraw from the association, that the Louisville and Nashville violated the rules of the association and cut rates out of Texas against the Queen and Crescent.

When the Queen and Crescent withdrew, or gave notice of withdrawal, the Louisville and Nashville served notice immediately that it would likewise withdraw in order to be free from the obligations of the association to bring battle against the Queen and Crescent in case the latter made any attack on the rates.

Then came the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis and made the same announcement that it would withdraw from the association, since there was no competing line in the organization, all of them having withdrawn.

The Memphis and Charleston and several other roads have made the same complaint and the fact is clear that there will be trouble about holding the association together unless matters can be adjusted in a satisfactory manner.

The rate committee now in session in New York may take a hand in the matter.

**Coming Next Week.**

Mr. W. H. Baldwin, third vice president of the Southern, will return to Atlanta next week from Washington to take an active part in the planning of the route for entering the exposition grounds for the deliverance of building material and passenger traffic.

Mr. Baldwin intended to return to Washington on his late trip to the south by way of Atlanta, but was prevented from doing so by the delay occasioned in the lengthy meeting of the Florida railroad men in that city.

He will have a great deal of work to do when he comes to Atlanta. He is to visit the exposition ground and look into the work of laying the sidetracks there.

He is to inspect the work recently done on the Simpson street yards in this city, there having been more than a mile of sidetrack laid there.

He will also get the work on the new shops of the Southern out at the shops of the old East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia in shape and push it forwards.

**The Blue Ridge Railroad.**

Last night brought a change in the management of the Blue Ridge railroad, it having passed from the hands of the Columbia and Greenville railroad into the hands of H. C. Beattie, receiver.

The road has for sometime been managed by the Columbia and Greenville, but now that it has gone into the hands of a receiver there will be slight changes of management.

## THE SOUTHERN MEN ALL RIGHT.

**No Strike Is Expected on the Great System—A New Scale Promised.**

Washington, December 14.—(Special.)—Vice President Baldwin, of the Southern Railway Company, was seen this afternoon in regard to the rumor of a possibility of a strike on that system. Mr. Baldwin said he had received a call from the several delegates from the various labor organizations on the Southern line, but that he knew nothing of the proposed strike. "They called on me," he said, "yesterday in relation to changing the rates of pay and some of the rules governing the employes of the road.

"We are working under the same rates and same rules as the road was previous to the reorganization of the Richmond and Danville, on July 1st.

"In fact," he continued, "we have almost the same men who were employed by the Richmond and Danville. I told them that I would make no changes, but that as soon as the company thought it possible and practicable we would make up a new schedule and send it out, but not until then."

From all indications at the general offices of the company no trouble of any kind is anticipated by the officials.

## HEAVYWEIGHT SPORTSMEN HERE.

**Hunters and Fishers from Ohio Pass Through the City.**

Thirty-two well browned, strong-limbed, finely built fellows stretched their limbs at the union depot yesterday. Not one of them tipped the scales at a smaller figure than 190 pounds, and some of them tipped them at considerably more.

These gentlemen are members of the Crescent Rod and Gun Club, of Columbus, O., a strict regulation in which organization is that no man weighing less than 175 pounds shall be admitted to membership. Captain George Settle, First Lieutenant B. Burrows, Second Lieutenant William Jones, Paymaster Lewis Fink and Surgeon Lark Moon were in charge of the party.

The club has been on an extensive hunting and fishing trip in Florida, spending most of the time tenting on the Indian river. To a man they said they had never enjoyed themselves better than since they have been on this trip. They were met at the depot yesterday by several local gentlemen and Mr. Will H. Tayloe saw them safely off for home.

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## FUNERAL OF DEAN HINCKS.

**It Was Largely Attended by Friends and Former Students.**

The funeral services of Dean J. W. Hincks, of the Atlanta university, were held in the Ware Memorial chapel Thursday at 3 o'clock p. m. The hall was crowded.

Floral offerings, resolutions of condolence and large delegations from both faculty and students of Clark university and Gammon, Spelman and Baptist seminaries were in attendance.

Ex-Governor Bullock, General and Mrs. J. R. Lewis, Mrs. Colonel Buck Dr. and Mrs. Theodore Schumann and many other old friends were present to express their sympathy.

In the absence of President Bumstead, Rev. W. W. Adams, the professor of Greek, led the services, giving a beautiful eulogy of the life, cut off at forty-six years in the prime and flower of manhood.

"Steal Away to Jesus," was sung by the students.

During the illness of Mr. Hincks, who was the acting pastor, Rev. George Standing supplied the university pulpit, so it seemed fitting that he should add the closing words.

The services were closed with the benediction by Professor Murray, of Gammon Theological seminary.

It was very impressive to watch the long procession as it gazed on the well-known face—the casket banked with palms and ferns and covered with the choicest flowers—offerings from fellow teachers, alumni, college, normal and subnormal departments of the university. The interment will take place at Bridgeport, Conn.

The students prepared and adopted resolutions of regret and sympathy.

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## TO GIVE A DOLL HOW.

**The Railroad Y. M. C. A. Preparing for a Unique Exhibit.**

The regular Sunday afternoon meetings for railroad men at the railroad branch of the Young Men's Christian Association have attained a wide popularity. They are held at 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Tomorrow afternoon Professor W. W. Lumpkin will be the speaker. The lively gospel songs, with instrumental accompaniment, will be an attraction. Men of every rank of railroad service are always invited.

The ladies' auxiliary is preparing for a unique entertainment to be held next week. It will be a "doll exhibit," in which prizes will be offered for the oldest doll, the prettiest doll, the ugliest doll and the best home-made doll. One doll has been offered which is over fifty years old.

The exhibit will continue two days, ebginning next Thursday, and will be open until 10 o'clock p. m. A good programme will be provided for each evening. Lunch will be served each afternoon and evening. The object of the entertainment is to increase the fund for the purchase of a piano for the rooms.

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### Light Interior Receipts Cause Cotton to Advance Slightly—Bulls on Wheat Disheartened and Discouraged.

**New York**, December 14.—The rising tendency in the stock market was checked today by the engagement of $3,500,000 in gold for shipment to Europe tomorrow and by Washington advices that the senate will not take up the Patterson pooling bill until after the holidays. The recent rise also invited profit-taking, and the offerings for this account cut an important figure in the dealings. Chicago Gas, Baltimore and Ohio and Reading were heavy. Chicago Gas fell from 72½ to 71⅛@70⅝ on dealings of 21,000 shares. The talk on this property was all of a bearish character. The dividend matter came in for considerable discussion, and it was rumored that the directors contemplated a reduction in the rate. It was also said that the company was having difficulty in securing the $490,000 alleged to be due from the city of Chicago and that it had a heavy floating debt. The latter was news to most operators and is given for what it is worth. Baltimore and Ohio was more active at a lower range, 1,700 shares changing hands at 67½@64¾, with the final transactions at the lowest point. A belief was current that the Valley railroad stock would be wiped out in the proposed reorganization, which hurt the stock, as the Baltimore and Ohio is a large holder of these shares. Reading was sold down to 14¼. Sugar rose ¾ to 94½ and receded to 91¼, with a rally at the close to 93⅝@93⅜. There was good selling of the stock throughout and the impression is that the pool has been taking profits during the past two days. The declaration of a dividend by the Rock Island directors and the assertion that it had been earned did not stop the realizations in the Grangers, which lost ⅜@⅞ per cent on the day. The closing of the market was barely steady with prices anywhere from ¼ to 1¾ per cent lower on the day. In the specialties Colorado Fuel preferred rose 5 to 75; Canadian Pacific 2½ to 60½; Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis 2 to 68; United States Express 2 to 43, and American Tobacco 2 to 98. Total sales were 212,000, of which 93,500 were Sugar, 21,900 St. Paul and 21,000 Chicago Gas.

The bond market was strong.

The sales of listed stocks aggregated 113,000 shares; unlisted, 99,000.

Treasury Balances—Coin, $91,226,000; currency, $75,969,000.

Money on call easy at 1@1½; last loan at 1½; closing offered at 1½ per cent; prime mercantile paper 3@4 per cent.

Bar silver 61.

Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87¾@4.88 for 60 days, and 4.88¾@4.89 for demand; posted rates, 4.89@4.90; commercial bills, 4.86¾@4.87.

Government bonds weaker.

State bonds dull.

Railroad bonds firmer.

Silver at the board was 60⅝ bid.

The following are closing bids:

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| Am'n Cotton Oil | 25 | Missouri Pac | 29 |
| do. pref | 70 | Mobile & Ohio | 18¼ |
| Am'n Sugar Refin | 93¾ | Nash., Chat. & St.L. | 65 |
| do. pref | 92 | U.S. Cordage | 8¾ |
| Am'n Tobacco | 97 | do. pref | 14¾ |
| do. pref | 106½ | N.J. Central | 93⅝ |
| Atch., T. & Santa Fe | 4⅜ | N.Y. Central | 99¾ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 64⅝ | N.Y. & N.E. | 31⅜ |
| Canada Pac | 60¼ | Norfolk & Western | 19½ |
| Ches. & Ohio | 18⅝ | Northern Pac | 4½ |
| Chicago & Alton | 143 | do. pref | 17⅞ |
| C., B. & Q | 73⅛ | Northwestern | 99⅞ |
| Chicago Gas | 71½ | do. pref | 142 |
| Del., Lack. & W | 160½ | Pacific Mail | 21½ |
| Dis. & Cat. Feed | 9⅜ | Reading | 14¼ |
| East Tennessee | — | Rich. Terminal | 16½ |
| do. pref | — | Rock Island | 63½ |
| Erie | 10¼ | St. Paul | 59⅛ |
| do. pref | 23 | do. pref | 119½ |
| Ed. Gen. Electric | 35¾ | Silver Certificates | 60⅝ |
| Ills. Central | 90 | T. C. I. | 16⅛ |
| Lake Erie & West | 17 | do. pref | 70 |
| do. pref | 72 | Texas Pac | 9⅞ |
| Lake Shore | 136 | Union Pac | 12 |
| Lous. & Nash | 54 | Wabash, St. L. & P. | 6⅝ |
| L'ville, N.A. & Ohio | 6½ | do. pref | 14½ |
| Manhattan Consol | 106½ | Western Union | 88⅜ |
| Memphis & Chas | 10 | Wheeling & L. Erie | 10⅞ |
| Mich. Central | 98 | do. pref | 39½ |
| Bonds— | | | |
| Alabama, Class A | 103⅜ | do. 3s | 83 |
| do. Class B | 104 | Virginia 6s | — |
| do. Class C | 92¾ | do. pref | — |
| Louisiana stamped | 100 | U.S. 4s, registered | 114¼ |
| N.C. 4s | 101 | do coupon | 115¼ |
| N.C. 6s | 124 | do. 2s | 97 |
| Tennessee old 6s | 60 | Southern Railway 5s | 89¾ |
| Tenn. new set'm't 6s | — | do. common | 11¼ |
| Tenn. new set'm't 5s | — | do. preferred | 36⅜ |

*Ex-dividend. †Asked.

### Early Morning Gossip.

Dow, Jones News Co., by private wire to J. C. Knox, manager: A director of Tennessee Coal and Iron tells us that the executive committee has taken action regarding sales of iron in future, which action was incorrectly stated. The directors decided to suspend future sales of iron at the present level of prices. The company will continue to sell iron in the ordinary way, but will not commit itself to large future sales at present prices. Tennessee Coal and Iron was active and higher Thursday on an expected favorable statement for the month of November.

The stock market, after a strong opening, receded fractionally on a realization of profits in the railway line. Foreign buying was fairly good in the early dealings and the closing of the market in London was strong and generally above the New York parity.

The heavy engagements of gold for export tomorrow have not weakened the tone of speculation.

One foreign house tells us that it knows of quite a large short interest in American stocks and thinks it quite likely that this short interest can be forced to cover.

St. Paul is the stock in which it has been concentrated. Since the passage of the pooling bill there has been a decided improvement in London, both as to temper and the volume of speculation.

Chicago Gas was sold down by Peabody and Davis Johnson. The general market is under no pressure and the room traders are buyers. Common houses also appear to have buying orders at current quotations.

New York News Bureau: Peoria Special—The directors of the Whisky trust are still in session, but aside from a statement that only routine business has so far occupied their attention, they refuse to talk. Secretary Hennessey said the reorganization plan hadn't been discussed at all.

London Special—Silver steady 27⅞.

### Closing Stock Review.

New York, December 14.—New York News Bureau, by private wire to J. C. Knox, manager—The stock market today suffered from extensive realizing of profits, and prices steadily declined, interrupted only by occasional rallies.

The talk respecting the prospects of the Patterson pooling bill was overshadowed by the heavy engagements of gold for export tomorrow, which have carried the treasury's gold reserve below the $100,000,000 mark.

London was disposed to buy, but its purchases were offset by local selling, which was particularly pronounced in Sugar and Chicago Gas.

A sharp break in Baltimore and Ohio occurred on increased offerings of stock.

## Receiver's Sale.

By virtue of an order of court, I hereby offer for sale the entire stock and fixtures of the Algee-Stevens Company. Bids for the same to be directed to me under seal to be opened by the court January 7, 1895. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Stock consists of a complete line. Fixtures consist of office supplies and specialties and is a full and complete line. Fixtures consists of office desks, counters, scales, safe, etc. Parties desiring to bid on said stock and fixtures may inspect the same at any time during business hours by applying to

W. A. MATHEWS, Receiver,
Room 306 Norcross Building.
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The general market closed heavy at a substantial decline.

| DESCRIPTION. | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Today's Closing bids. | Yesterday's Clos'g bids. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Delaware & Lack | | | | 160⅞ | 160¾ |
| Northwestern | 100¼ | 100¼ | 99⅜ | 99⅜ | 100 |
| Tenn. Coal & Iron | 17 | 17 | 16⅛ | 16⅛ | 15½ |
| Richmond Terminal | | | | 16⅛ | 16 |
| New York & N. E. | 32 | 32 | 31⅛ | 31⅜ | 31½ |
| Lake Shore | | | | 136 | 137 |
| Western Union | 89⅛ | 89⅛ | 88½ | 88⅝ | 89 |
| Missouri Pacific | 29⅛ | 29½ | 28¾ | 29 | 29⅜ |
| Union Pacific | 12½ | 12½ | 12 | 12 | 12¼ |
| Dist. & Cattle Feed Co. | 9⅜ | 9⅜ | 9⅛ | 9⅜ | 9⅜ |
| Atchison | 4⅝ | 4⅝ | 4⅜ | 4⅜ | 5 |
| Reading | 15⅛ | 15⅛ | 14¼ | 14¼ | 15¼ |
| Louisville & Nash | 54¼ | 54⅛ | 54 | 54 | 54½ |
| North. Pacific pref | 18 | 18 | 17⅞ | 17⅞ | 18 |
| St. Paul | 60¼ | 60⅛ | 59⅛ | 59⅛ | 60 |
| Rock Island | 64½ | 64½ | 63⅝ | 63½ | 64⅜ |
| Chicago Gas | 73⅛ | 73⅜ | 71⅜ | 71½ | 73⅛ |
| Chic., Bur. & Quincy | 73⅝ | 73⅞ | 73⅛ | 73⅛ | 73¾ |
| Ame'n Sugar Refinery | 94 | 94⅝ | 92¼ | 93⅜ | 93⅜ |
| Erie | 10⅜ | 10⅜ | 10¼ | 10¼ | 11 |
| Am'n Cotton Oil | 25½ | 25½ | 25 | 25 | 25½ |
| General Electric | 36¼ | 36⅛ | 35⅛ | 35⅞ | 35⅞ |

### BOND AND STOCK QUOTATIONS.

The following are bid and asked quotations:

STATE AND CITY BONDS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Ga. 2½s, 27 to 30 years | 98½ | 99½ | Atlanta 4½s | 100 | |
| New Ga. 3½s, 25 to 40 years | 98½ | 99½ | Augusta 7s, L.D. | 113 | |
| New Ga. 4½s 1915 | 112 | | Macon 6s | 110 | |
| Georgia 7s, 1896 | 104 | 105 | Columbus 5 | 100 | 102 |
| Savannah 5s | 105 | | Rome graded | 103 | |
| Atlanta 8s, 1902 | 118 | | Waterworks 6s | 100 | |
| Atlanta 7s, 1804 | 113½ | 114 | Rome 5s | 90 | |
| Atlanta 7s, 1899 | 106 | 107 | South Car. 4s | 99 | 100½ |
| Atlanta 6s, L.D. | 112 | | Newnan 6s L.D. | 102 | 104 |
| Atlanta 6s, S.D. | 100 | | Chattanooga 5s 1921 | 98 | |
| Atlanta 5s, L. D. | 102 | | Col. S.C. grad'd 3s & 4s, 1910 | 64 | |
| | | | Ala., Class A | 101 | 104 |

RAILROAD BONDS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Georgia 5s, 1897 | 101 | | C. C. & A. 1st 7s, 1897 | 101 | |
| Georgia 6s, 1910 | 107½ | | do. 2d 7s, 1910 | 92 | |
| Georgia 6s, 1922 | 109 | | do. con. 6s | 82 | |
| Central 7s, 1893 | 112 | | Aug. & Knox. 1st 7s, 1900 | 101 | |
| C. C. & A. | 93 | | Atl'nta & Char. 1st 7s, 1907 | | 118 |
| Ga. Pac. c't's | 104 | | do. income 6s 1900 | 98 | |
| Ga. Pacific 2d | 52 | | | | |
| ⅓ P. & L., 1st 7s | 85 | | | | |
| Mar'ta & N.G. | | | | | |
| S., A. & M. 1st | 45 | 47 | | | |

RAILROAD STOCKS.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Georgia | 148 | 150 | Aug. & Sav | 84 | 85 |
| Southwestern | 74 | 75 | A. & W. P. | 78 | |
| Central | 15 | | do. deben | 90 | 91 |
| Cen. deben | 26 | 28 | | | |

### Atlanta Clearing House Statement.

Darwin G. Jones, Manager.

| | |
|---|---|
| Clearings today | $ 215,244.81 |
| Clearings for 4 days | 1,227,399.10 |

### THE COTTON MARKET.

Local market closed quiet; middling 5 1-16c.

The following is our statement of the receipts, shipments and stocks at Atlanta:

| | RECEIPTS | | SHIPM'TS | | STOCKS. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1894 | 1893 | 1894 | 1893 | 1894 | 1893 |
| Saturday | 901 | 1283 | 1629 | 1598 | 29716 | 11738 |
| Monday | 1473 | 1240 | 450 | 700 | 30758 | 12278 |
| Tuesday | 934 | 2332 | 500 | 2350 | 31172 | 12260 |
| Wednesday | 720 | 1301 | 1729 | 400 | 30163 | 13101 |
| Thursday | 1186 | 1505 | 925 | 1100 | 30424 | 13506 |
| Friday | 1068 | 738 | 463 | 1000 | 31029 | 12244 |
| Total | 6282 | 8339 | 5696 | 7146 | | |

### Stevens & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

By Private Wire to J. C. Knox, Manager.

New York, December 14.—Receipts at interior towns caused the advance. The total for the week fell considerably below some of the estimates at one time current here. There were quite a number of selling orders at the opening, and prices gave way 2 points, but when Atlanta and a number of other interior towns showed smaller receipts than had been expected, quite a good demand to cover set in and prices regained the early loss and then advanced 6 to 7 points. The port receipts, however, were liberal and there was some reaction here towards the close, so that the net advance for the day was only 4 to 5 points. The close was steady. Liverpool advanced 1½ points, but lost this and closed quiet. Spot sales 8,000 at steady and unchanged prices. In Manchester yarns and cloths were dull. Spot cotton here was 1-16c lower; midlings 5¾c, with sales of 100 bales for spinning. The quantity of cotton brought into sight this week is estimated at 450,000, against 400,000 in 1891. The Liverpool stock today in store and afloat was 1,313,000 bales, against 1,285,000 a week ago and 1,491,000 last year, including 1,161,000 of American today, against 1,135,000 last week and 1,278,000 last year. Port receipts today, 72,165, including 14,639 "various," against a total of 75,945 this day last week and 48,243 last year. Total for the week, 342,147, against 352,151 last week and 296,850 last year. New Orleans receipts tomorrow are estimated at 15,000 to 17,000, against 13,833 on the same day last week and 10,894 last year. Houston receipts today, 9,057, against 12,751 last week and 7,828 last year, and shipped today 11,038, and manufacturers got today 3,388, against 3,095 this day last week and 3,437 last year. Total interior receipts for the week are 207,057 bales, against 262,699 last week and 166,635 last year. Shipments, 238,373, against 281,905 last week and 179,888 last year. Stocks, 488,015, against 471,171 a week ago and 447,323 last year. The sales of futures here today were 125,700 bales. Wilmington declined 1-16c. Most of the southern spot markets were quiet and unchanged. New Orleans futures advanced 5 to 7 points. The spot sales there were large, reaching 12,000 at steady and unchanged prices. Exports from the ports were 34,400. As to diminished interior receipts the bears maintain that the farmers are simply holding back their cotton for better prices. The bulls contend that it means exhaustion at many points in the Atlantic states. A constant infusion of bullish news in the shape of decreased receipts or strong cables will be necessary to prevent a decline in prices. Until there is a very sharp falling off in the crop movement sales on the rallies should be remunerative.

The following is the range of cotton futures in New York today:

| MONTHS. | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Today's Close. | Yesterday's Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| December | 5.45 | 5.57 | 5.45 | 5.54-55 | 5.47-48 |
| January | 5.53 | 5.59 | 5.51 | 5.57-58 | 5.53-54 |
| February | 5.55 | 5.62 | 5.53 | 5.59-60 | 5.55-56 |
| March | 5.60 | 5.67 | 5.58 | 5.64-65 | 5.60-61 |
| April | 5.64 | 5.71 | 5.62 | 5.69-70 | 5.64-65 |
| May | 5.69 | 5.76 | 5.67 | 5.74-75 | 5.69-70 |
| June | 5.74 | 5.80 | 5.73 | 5.78-79 | 5.74-75 |
| July | 5.79 | 5.86 | 5.78 | 5.83-84 | 5.78-79 |

Closed steady; sales 135,700 bales.

The following is a statement of the consolidated net receipts, exports and stock at the ports:

| | RECEIPTS | | EXPORTS. | | STOCKS. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1894 | 1893 | 1894 | 1893 | 1894 | 1893 |
| Saturday | 47114 | 44544 | 36247 | 52451 | 1149924 | 1157362 |
| Monday | 62700 | 62897 | 44169 | 38186 | 1163849 | 1173430 |
| Tuesday | 57080 | 55429 | 56049 | 46336 | 1159684 | 1175463 |
| Wednesday | 55886 | 42908 | 22079 | 34612 | 1186533 | 1172320 |
| Thursday | 47182 | 42847 | 46663 | 21522 | 1187877 | 1181246 |
| Friday | 72165 | 50951 | 28052 | 58847 | 1218316 | 1165643 |
| Total | 342127 | 296567 | 233249 | 251944 | | |

The following are the closing quotations of future cotton in New Orleans today:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| January | 5.23 | July | 5.57 |
| February | 5.31 | August | 5.62 |
| March | 5.39 | September | 5.65 |
| April | 5.42 | October | |
| May | 5.47 | November | |
| June | 5.52 | December | 5.18 |

Closed steady; sales 27,500 bales.

### Comparative Cotton Statement.

NEW YORK, December 14—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending today:

| | |
|---|---|
| Net receipts at all United States ports | 322,127 |
| Same time last year | 299,567 |
| Showing an increase | 42,560 |
| Total receipts | 4,368,549 |
| Same time last year | 3,552,097 |
| Showing an increase | 816,452 |
| Exports for the week | 233,249 |
| Same time last year | 251,944 |
| Showing a decrease | 18,695 |
| Total exports to date | 2,809,987 |
| Same time last year | 2,230,128 |
| Showing an increase | 579,859 |
| Stock at United States ports | 1,218,316 |
| Same time last year | 1,165,543 |
| Showing a decrease | 52,673 |
| Stock at interior towns | 198,816 |
| Same time last year | 234,529 |
| Showing a decrease | 35,713 |
| Stock at Liverpool | 993,000 |
| Same time last year | 1,122,000 |
| Showing a decrease | 129,000 |
| American cotton afloat for Great Britain | 310,000 |
| Same time last year | 360,000 |
| Showing a decrease | 50,000 |

### Total Receipts at the Ports.

NEW YORK, December 14—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all United States ports since September 1, 1894:

| | |
|---|---|
| Galveston | 1,040,687 |
| New Orleans | 1,365,593 |
| Mobile | 142,748 |
| Savannah | 614,639 |
| Charleston | 272,823 |
| Wilmington | 174,393 |
| Norfolk | 274,252 |
| Baltimore | 50,082 |
| New York | 89,317 |
| Boston | 11,801 |
| Newport News | 19,395 |
| Philadelphia | 45,645 |
| West Point | 174,697 |
| Brunswick | 41,901 |
| Velasco | 500 |
| Port Royal | 70,372 |
| Total | 4,030,350 |

### Hubbard, Price & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, December 14.—Summary of Hubbard, Price & Co.'s cotton letter: The improvement in Liverpool, although lost before the close of the session, was brought about by the report that the movement would soon show a falling off, and that the amount coming in sight this week would be materially less than last week. Our market on the opening did not respond to this advice from abroad, but became easy, losing 2 to 3 points and immediately improving upon the covering demand from the short interest, who are uneasy at the steadiness of the market and the falling off in the receipts in the Atlantic states. As we have often stated, however, there is little difference between the opinions of those who are bullish or bearish on the market. The bears believe that under the influence of the movement from now till the 1st of January that cotton will decline, while the bulls insist that the effect of the movement has already been discounted, and that, therefore, it is probable that no further decline will occur. The improvement continued to the close of the market, which was steady at 4 points advance over last evening.

### Sun's Cotton Review.

New York, December 14.—Cotton declined 2 points, but recovered this and advanced 6 to 7 points, then reacted and closed steady at a net rise of 4 to 5 points, with sales of 125,700 bales. New Orleans declined 1 point on March, but recovered it and advanced 7 points and then lost 2 points of this. Spot cotton there was steady with sales of 12,000 bales. Liverpool advanced 1½ points, but lost this and closed quiet; spot sales there were 8,000 bales at steady and unchanged prices. In Manchester yarns and cloths were dull. The quantity of cotton brought into sight this week is estimated at 450,000 bales against 400,000 in the big crop year of 1891. New Orleans receipts tomorrow are estimated at 15,000 to 17,000, against 13,838 on the same day last week and 10,894 last year. A Liverpool dispatch says: "Unless discouraged from your side, we shall be apt to go up." Spot quotations at the south, as a rule, were unchanged with trade dull. The rise here today was caused mainly by unexpectedly small receipts for the week at the interior towns. Shorts covered. Liverpool was rather better, too, than expected.

### New Orleans Crop Statement.

New Orleans, December 14.—The crop statement from September 1st to December 14th, inclusive, issued by the New Orleans cotton exchange: Port receipts, 4,395,582 bales, against 3,521,309 last year, 3,137,944 year before last and 4,125,851 for the same time in 1891. Overland to mills and Canada, 742,117, against 459,513, 484,832 and 693,192. Interior stocks in excess of September 1st, 429,341, against 372,389, 324,218 and 541,004. Southern mill takings, 278,885, against 282,731, 268,683 and 248,004. Crop brought into sight during 105 days to date, 5,485,925, against 4,535,942, 4,215,677 and 5,608,054. Crop brought into sight for the week, 435,253, against 406,713 for the seven days ending December 14th last year, 333,966 and 420,121. Crop brought into sight for the first fourteen days of December, 930,530, against 808,283, 733,673 and 825,822.

Comparisons in these reports are made up to the corresponding date last year, year before and in 1891, and not to the close of the corresponding week. Comparisons by weeks would take in 106 days of the season last year, 107 days year before last and 109 in 1891, against only 105 days this year.

### The Liverpool and Port Markets.

Liverpool, December 14—12:15 p. m.—Cotton, spot moderate business done, with prices steady; middling uplands 3 3-32; sales 8,000 bales; American 7,500; speculation and export 500; receipts 30,500; all American; uplands low middling clause December and January delivery —; January and February delivery 2 63-64, 3; February and March delivery 3; March and April delivery 3 1-64; April and May delivery 3 3-64; May and June delivery 3 4-64; June and July delivery 3 6-64; July and August delivery 3 7-64; August and September delivery —; futures opened firm with demand moderate.

Weekly—Sales 53,000; American 44,000; trade takings, including direct from shipside, 62,000; actual export 19,000; import 170,000; American 154,000; stock 993,000; American 851,000; afloat 320,000; American 310,000.

Liverpool, December 14—4:00 p. m.—Uplands low middling clause December delivery 2 63-64, 3; December and January delivery 2 63-64, 3; January and February delivery 2 63-64, 3; February and March delivery 3, 3 1-64; March and April delivery 3 1-64, 3 2-64; April and May delivery 3 3-64, sellers; May and June delivery 3 4-64, 3 5-64; June and July delivery 3 5-64, 3 6-64; July and August delivery 3 7-64, buyers; August and September delivery 3 8-64, 3 9-64; futures closed quiet.

New York, December 14—Cotton quiet; sales 100 bales; middling uplands 5¾; middling gulf 6; net receipts 2,160; gross 5,416; stock 102,194.

Weekly—Net receipts 15,663; gross 42,812; exports to Great Britain 14,479; to France 3,352; to continent 8,559; forwarded 12,749; sales 1,118; to spinners 518.

Galveston, December 14—Cotton steady; middling 5 3-16; net receipts 15,850 bales; gross 15,850; sales 600; stock 314,026; exports to Great Britain 7,665; coastwise 4,269.

Weekly—Net receipts 88,859; gross 88,859; sales 6,495; to spinners 170; exports to Great Britain 21,265; to France 11,736; to continent 15,379; coastwise 7,898.

Norfolk, December 14—Cotton easy; middling 5¼; net receipts 3,475 bales; gross 3,475; sales 702; stock 77,069; exports to Great Britain 5,625; coastwise 945.

Weekly—Net receipts 27,411; gross 27,411; sales 4,847; exports to Great Britain 12,418; to continent 1,800; coastwise 11,858.

Baltimore, December 14—Cotton nominal; middling 5⅝; net receipts 3,257 bales; gross 3,364; sales none; stock 30,353; exports coastwise 3,000.

Weekly—Net receipts 3,257; gross 12,007; sales none; exports to continent 1,800; coastwise 9,000.

Boston, December 14—Cotton quiet; middling 5 11-16; net receipts 716 bales; gross 4,567; sales none; stock none.

Weekly—Net receipts 6,843; gross 30,117; sales none; exports to Great Britain 11,620.

Wilmington December 14—Cotton steady; middling 5 3-16; net receipts 2,196 bales; gross 2,196; sales none; stock 36,980.

Weekly—Net receipts 13,159; gross 13,159; sales none; exports coastwise 371.

Philadelphia, December 14—Cotton steady; middling 5 15-16; net receipts 764 bales; gross 1,050; sales none; stock 9,430; exports to Great Britain 326.

Weekly—Net receipts 4,866; gross 5,504; sales none; exports to Great Britain 326.

Savannah, December 14—Cotton quiet; middling 5⅛; net receipts 4,895 bales; gross 4,895; sales 300; stock 116,692; exports coastwise 4,955.

Weekly—Net receipts 36,114; gross 32,114; sales 3,685; to spinners —; exports to continent 10,190; coastwise 13,328.

New Orleans, December 14—Cotton steady; middling 5⅛; net receipts 15,899 bales; gross 16,794; sales 12,000; stock 382,060; exports to continent 3,000; coastwise 2,614.

Weekly—Net receipts 92,617; gross 96,688; sales 36,050; exports to Great Britain 21,011; to France 18,798; to continent 41,130; coastwise 16,101; sales 36,050, to spinners —.

Mobile, December 14—Cotton quiet; middling 5; net receipts 2,471 bales; gross 2,471; sales 600; stock 31,204; exports to continent 654; coastwise 837.

Weekly—Net receipts 10,798; gross 11,141; sales 5,000; to spinners —; exports to continent 654; coastwise 3,883.

Memphis, December 14—Cotton quiet; middling 5 3-16; net receipts 3,388 bales; shipments 3,987; sales 1,150; stock 120,096.

Weekly—Net receipts 23,775; shipments 26,926; sales 10,800; to spinners —.

Augusta, December 14—Cotton steady; middling 5¼; net receipts 1,149 bales; shipments 1,498; sales 798; stock 31,550.

Weekly—Net receipts 7,730; shipments 5,905; sales 3,891.

Charleston December 14—Cotton quiet; middling 5⅛; net receipts 3,484 bales; gross 3,484; sales none; stock 80,374.

Weekly—Net receipts 15,571; gross 15,571; sales 425; to spinners —; exports to Great Britain 6,947; to continent 6,685; coastwise 2,240.

Houston, December 14—Cotton quiet; middling 5⅛; net receipts 9,057 bales; shipments 11,038; sales 76; stock 72,510.

Weekly—Net receipts 71,759; shipments 78,996; sales 2,435.

Montgomery, December 14—Cotton, net receipts of the week 5,997 bales; shipments 4,755; sales 4,755; stock of 1894, 20,635; 1893, 22,534.

Macon, December 14—Cotton, net receipts of the week 2,359 bales; shipments 1,622; sales —; stock 1894, 6,504; 1893, 8,664.

Columbus, December 14—Cotton, net receipts of the week 2,796 bales; shipments 1,170; sales 500; to spinners —; stock of 1894, 11,721; 1893, 10,822.

Nashville, December 14—Cotton, net receipts of the week 1,921 bales; shipments 2,389; sales 2,399; to spinners 10; stock of 1894, 3,620; 1893, 1,615.

Selma, December 14—Cotton, net receipts of the week 3,261 bales; shipments 2,084; stock of 1894, 4,690; 1893, 12,876.

Rome, December 14—Cotton, net receipts for the week 4,811 bales; shipments 4,415; stock 8,396.

## THE CHICAGO MARKET.

### The Bulls Threw Up the Sponge on Wheat Yesterday.

Chicago, December 14.—Disheartened and discouraged, the bulls on wheat threw up the sponge today and allowed the advocates of lower prices to have full control of the market. The news was not particularly depressing, but the absence of speculation was as powerful a detrimental influence as any that could be urged. During the latter half of the session the pressure to sell was less conspicuous and a moderate rally took place, holders of daily and weekly puts being the active buyers. May wheat opened from 58⅝c to 58⅞c, sold between 58½c and 58⅞c, closing at 58¾c—¼c under yesterday. Cash wheat sold from ½c to ⅝c under yesterday. The feeling was weak.

Corn—That several of the big holders of corn had quietly unloaded yesterday was patent to the general observer today. Lessened confidence was shown by the moderate traders, which, taken in connection with the inclination of wheat to decline, gave to corn a decidedly weak tone. The mild weather was another source of discomfort to the bull element, increased arrivals being looked for from that cause. May corn opened from 49⅞c to 49¾c, sold between 49⅝c and 49⅞@50c, closing at 49⅞c—¼c under yesterday. Cash corn was ¼c per bushel lower.

Oats—Nothing different from the usual sympathetic market was noticeable in oats today. They declined with wheat and corn and rallied slightly with them. Business was light. At the close May oats were ⅛c under yesterday. Cash oats were steady to ⅛@¼c lower.

Provisions dropped lower today on the decline in grain and on cheaper prices for hogs. There was but little disposition to speculate and business was decidedly quiet. A rally came about in sympathy with the recovery in the other pits, but yesterday's close was higher by 10c than today's for January pork, 5c for January lard and 2½c for January ribs.

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT— | | | | |
| December | 54⅜ | 54½ | 54⅜ | 54⅜ |
| May | 58⅝ | 58⅞ | 58⅜ | 58⅝ |
| July | 59⅜ | 59⅝ | 59⅛ | 59⅛ |
| CORN— | | | | |
| December | 46¾ | 46¾ | 46½ | 46⅝ |
| January | 47¼ | 47¼ | 47 | 47¼ |
| May | 49⅞ | 49⅞ | 49⅝ | 49⅝ |
| OATS— | | | | |
| December | 29¼ | 29¼ | 29⅛ | 29⅛ |
| January | 29⅝ | 29⅝ | 29⅜ | 29⅝ |
| May | 32½ | 32½ | 32⅜ | 32⅜ |
| PORK— | | | | |
| January | 11 67½ | 11 92½ | 11 85 | 11 90 |
| May | 12 25 | 12 27½ | 12 17½ | 12 25 |
| LARD— | | | | |
| January | 6 92½ | 6 92½ | 6 85 | 6 95 |
| May | 7 15 | 7 15 | 7 10 | 7 15 |
| SIDES— | | | | |
| January | 5 90 | 5 92½ | 5 90 | 5 92½ |
| May | 6 15 | 6 20 | 6 12½ | 6 15 |

### Lamson Bros. & Co.'s Grain Letter.

By Private Wire to J. C. Knox, Manager.

Chicago, December 14.—On such a contracted market it is really not surprising that the tendency is to lower prices, especially with no encouragement from the other side. Transactions today have not only been of a liquidating character, but there was considerable short selling on the lower cables, excess of receipts in the northwest and falling off in the milling demand. The market was barely steady at the opening with a slight loss to holders, and on inadequate buying power gradually declined to 58½c for May. Many supporting orders were apparent at the bottom and with prospects of quite liberal clearances prices firmed, but there was nothing to sustain any advance. The probable shipment of $3,000,000 gold tomorrow had a depressing effect.

Corn was confined within a range of ¼c. The market has been an extremely dull one. Local receipts were seven cars in excess of expectations, while those at the primary points (308,000 bushels) show a decided falling off from last year, which, for the corresponding day, aggregated 549,000 bushels. Though the weather is perfect for the movement, and although prices have ruled at a slightly lower range, it shows considerable strength, and is not what is called a weak market. The receipts are quite indicative of a small surplus for a light crop.

The realizing sales towards the close yesterday in the provision market was carried well over into this morning's session, and with but a poor demand prices suffered a further loss, though a little better feeling developed towards the close. Receipts of hogs were somewhat in excess of expectations, and ruled fairly active at the outset with 5c better in price, which, however, was lost later. Two hundred thousand hogs are estimated for next week.

## PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, GA., December 14, 1894.

### Flour, Grain and Meal.

Atlanta, December 14—Flour, first patent $3.85; second patent $3.25; straight $2.90; fancy $2.70; extra family $2.50. Corn, white 55c; mixed 54c. Oats, rust proof 50c; white 45c; mixed 42. Rye, Georgia 75c. Barley, Georgia raised 85c. Hay, No. 1 timothy, large bales 90c; small bales, 85c; No. 2 timothy, small bales, 80c. Meal, plain 60c; bolted 57c. Wheat bran, large sacks, 90; small sacks 92½. Grits $3.50.

New York, December 14—Southern flour dull but steady; good to choice $3.10@3.50; common to fair extra $2.10@3.00. Wheat, spot dull but steady and ¼c lower; No. 2 red winter in store and elevator 59½@59¾; afloat 61¼@62; options opened weak and declined ⅜@½c, rallied ⅛c and closed steady ⅜c under yesterday; No. 2 December 59⅝; January 60; March 61⅞; May 62⅝. Corn, spot dull and lower; No. 2 in elevator 56; afloat 57; options dull but steady at ⅛@¼c decline; December 53⅝; January 52¾; May 53⅝. Oats, spot dull and easier; options dull and easier; December 34⅛; January 34⅝; May 36⅛; spot No. 2 34¼; mixed western 34½@35½; white do. 37@42.

St. Louis, December 14—Flour weak; patents $2.50@2.80; fancy $2.05@2.15; choice $1.80@1.90. Wheat quiet; No. 2 red December 52⅜; January 52½; May 55⅝. Corn dull and lower; No. 2 December 46½; January 44⅜; May 46⅝. Oats lower; No. 2 December 30½; May 32⅛.

Chicago, December 14—Flour quiet and steady; winter patents $3.25@3.50; winter straights $2.75@3.10; No. 1 spring wheat 58½@60¾; No. 3 spring —; No. 2 red 54⅜. No. 2 corn 46⅝. No. 2 oats 29¾.

Cincinnati, December 14—Flour steady; spring patents $3.30@3.80; fancy $2.40@2.50. Wheat steady; No. 2 red 54. Corn steady; No. 3 mixed 44. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed 32½.

### Groceries.

Atlanta, December 14—Roasted coffee 21.60 ℔ 100 ℔ cases. Green—Choice 20c; fair 19c; prime 18c. Sugar—Standard granulated 4½c; off granulated 4⅜c; New Orleans white 4¼c; do. yellow 3½@4c. Syrup—New Orleans open kettle 25@30c; mixed 12½@20c; sugarhouse 20@35c. Teas—Black 30@65c; green 20@50c. Rice—Head 6c; choice 5½c. Salt—dairy, sacks, $1.40; do. bbls. $2.25; ice cream $1.00; common 72c. Cheese—Full cream 12½c. Matches—65s 50c; 200s $1.30@1.75; 300s $2.75. Soda—Boxes 6c; kegs 3c. Crackers—Soda 5½c; cream 8½c; ginger snaps 8½c. Candy—Common stick 5¾; fancy 12@12½. Oysters—F. W. $1.70; L. W. $1.30. Powder—Kegs $3.25. Shot—$1.20.

New York, December 14—Coffee, options closed steady 5@20 points down to 5@10 points up; December 13.55@13.65; February 12.85@12.95; April 12.25@12.35; July 12.25@12.30; September 12.15@12.25; spot Rio dull but steady; No. 7 15¾. Sugar, raw quiet and steady; fair refining 2¾; refined quiet and steady; off A 3½@3¾; standard A 3 13-16@4; cut loaf and crushed 4 7-16@4⅝; granulated 3 15-16@4¼; cubes 4 1-16@4⅜. Molasses, foreign nominal; New Orleans in fair demand and steady; open kettle 28@38. Rice fairly active and steady; domestic, fair to extra 4¼@5⅞; Japan 4⅜@4⅝.

### Provisions.

St. Louis, December 14—Pork, standard mess $12.12½@12.25. Lard, prime steam 6.75. Dry salt meats, shoulders 5.12½; long clear 5.87½; clear ribs 6.00; short clear 6.12½@6.25. Bacon, boxed shoulders 6.75; long clear 6.87½; clear ribs 7.00; short clear 7.12½.

Atlanta December 14—Clear rib sides, boxed 6⅞c; ice-cured bellies 9¼. Sugar-cured hams 10@12½c; California 8c. Breakfast bacon 11. Lard—Best quality 8c; second quality 7⅝c; compound 6⅛c.

New York, December 14—Pork moderately active and steady; old mess $13.25@13.75. Middles nominal; short clear —. Lard moderately active and lower; western steam 7.17½ bid; city steam 6.75; options, December 7.20; January 7.20 bid; May —.

Chicago, December 14—Cash quotations were as follows: Mess pork $11.87½@12.00. Lard 6.85. Short ribs, loose 5.90@5.95. Dry salt shoulders boxed 5 12½@5.25; short clear sides boxed 6.25@6.37½.

Cincinnati, December 14—Pork, mess $12.00. Lard, steam leaf 7.50; kettledried 7.37½. Bacon, shoulders 5.75; short rib sides 6 75; short clear 7.12½.

### Naval Stores.

Savannah, December 14—Spirits turpentine firm at 25⅛@25¼ for regulars; sales 2,000 casks; receipts 938 casks. Rosin firm; sales 2,000 bbls: A, B and C $1.00; D $1.05; E $1.15; F $1.20; G $1.30; H $1.60; I $2.10; K $2.50; M $2.75; N $3.00; windowglass $3.25; water-white $3.50.

Wilmington, December 14—Rosin firm; strained 95; good strained $1.00; turpentine steady at 24¾; tar firm at 95; crude turpentine steady; hard $1.10; soft $1.50; virgin $1.70.

New York December 14—Rosin quiet but firm; strained common to good $1.35@1.40; turpentine dull but steady at 27¼@27¾.

Charleston, December 14—Turpentine firm at 25; rosin firm; good strained $1.05.

### Fruits and Confectionaries.

Atlanta, December 14—Apples—Baldwin $3.00 ℔ bbl; fancy $3.25@3.50. Lemons—Messina $4.00@4.50; Florida $2.75@3.00 ℔ box; Sicily $3.00@3.50. Oranges—Florida $2.00@2.25. Cocoanuts 3½@3¾c. Pineapples $3.50@4.00 ℔ crate. Bananas—Straignts $1.00@1.50; culls 75c@$1.00. Figs 13@18c. Raisins—New California $1.90; ½ boxes $1.90; ¼ boxes 45c. Currants 6@7c. Leghorn citron 20@25c. Nuts—Almonds 16c; pecans 12@14c; Brazil 11@12½c; filberts 11½c; walnuts 12½@15c. Peanuts—Virginia electric light 5c; fancy handpicked 3½@4c; North Carolina 3½@4c; Georgia 3@3½c.

### Country Produce.

Atlanta, December 14—Eggs 20@22½c. Butter—Western creamery 22½@25; fancy Tennessee 15@18, choice 12½; Georgia 12½@15c. Live poultry—Turkeys 8@10 ℔ ℔; hens 20@22½; spring chickens, large 16@18c; medium 12½@15c; small 8@10c; ducks 18@20. Dressed poultry—Turkeys 10@12½c; ducks 10@12½c; chickens 10@12½c. Irish potatoes—Burbank $2.25@2.50 ℔ bbl; 80@85c ℔ bu; Tennessee bu. 50@65c. Sweet potatoes 35@40c ℔ bu. Honey—strained 8@10c; in the comb 10@12½c. Onions 75@90c ℔ bu.; bbls. $1.85@2.00. Cabbage ¾@1c.

### Bagging and Ties.

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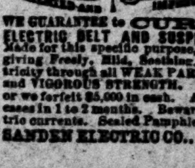

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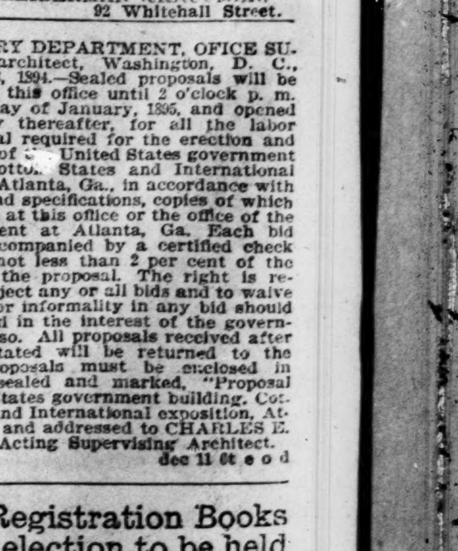

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# TALKED OF HOTELS.

## The Members of the Board to Devise Plans by Next Meeting.

## BIG AUSTRIAN EXHIBIT SECURED

### Mr. Felder Has Been Doing Superb Work for the Exposition in New York. Exposition Notes.

The meeting of the executive board of the exposition yesterday afternoon was almost wholly given to a discussion of the need of additional hotel facilities to accommodate the visitors to our exposition, and to the means by which the need might be supplied.

The matter was talked over in every detail and every member of the board had some suggestion to offer. Nothing definite was arrived at, but each member of the board promised to give the matter his earnest thought in the interim between the meeting yesterday and the next meeting and try to arrive at some practical solution of the problem.

"I believe that the talk this afternoon will result in the building of an elegant and extensive hotel," said Mr. Kontz, of the board, after the meeting yesterday. "At the next meeting of the board every member will have a suggestion to offer and out of the numerous suggestions there will come at least one good practical plan.

"Every one recognizes the necessity for increased hotel accommodations, and this matter is not to be allowed to go by default. It is an important part of our work to see that this matter is properly looked after."

At the meeting a contract from Mr. Edmund A. Felder with a gentleman representing a number of big Austrian firms, providing for an extensive Austrian exhibit, made in New York and subject to the ratification of the board, was read and considered. It was ratified.

The contract calls for an exhibit covering 5,000 feet of space in the main building. The finest goods of Austria will be exhibited. This is a great step for the exposition. The exhibit that Mr. Felder has secured rivals in quality if not in extent, the magnificent exhibit from Austria seen in the manufactures building at Chicago by visitors to the fair.

Mr. Felder has added another laurel to his brow by securing this most creditable display for Atlanta's exposition. His good work in New York is extremely pleasing to the exposition officials.

**He Goes Home.**

This morning at 8 o'clock Mr. J. J. Flinn, who has been in Atlanta three weeks preparing an article for his paper, The Chicago Herald, on the Atlanta exposition, will leave for home. He has been here three weeks and has thoroughly familiarized himself with the exposition work. He has already prepared the bulk of the special article which is to appear in The Herald December 29th.

Mr. Flinn is a most excellent gentleman, and the gentlemen whom he met at the exposition offices are greatly pleased that The Herald has intrusted the work to such a capable journalist and such a thorough gentleman. He carries away with him the high regard of every gentleman whom he met while in the city.

The special article, giving an entertaining sketch of the exposition from Mr. Flinn's pen, will appear in The Herald, in a big edition of that paper, December 29th. The exposition board has ordered 15,000 copies of the paper for distribution. The article will be the most thorough and complete that has yet been printed concerning the exposition.

**Good Words for the Exposition.**

The Public School Officers' Association of Tennessee, recently met at Nashville. Mr. E. E. Smith, of Atlanta, distributed 100 copies of the prospectus among the educators, and made a speech.

Here is the account of it which appeared in The Nashville American:

"The report of the committee on the Cotton States and International exposition, to be held in Atlanta in 1895, was presented by Professor T. W. Jordan, and was unanimously adopted. The resolutions were as follows:

"'Resolved, by the Tennessee school officials, in convention assembled, That we recognize in the Cotton States and International exposition, to be held in Atlanta, Ga., September-December, 1895, a most worthy movement to display the resources of the south and to attract not only capital and trade, but also intelligent immigration to this section of the country.

"'Resolved, That this effort has our hearty approval and our best wishes, and that we will co-operate in every proper way to make it a success.

"'Resolved, That not only at this great interstate and international exposition, but also at our own Centennial exposition in 1896, this state should make such an exhibit of her development in manufactures, in agriculture and kindred sciences, in education, in mineral wealth, and in the notable and praiseworthy work of her women, as will be a credit to and as will properly set forth her prominence in all these lines of progress.

"'T. W. JORDAN,
"'Chairman.
"'J. H. ALLEN,
"'J. M. BAKER,
"'Committee.'

"The character, purposes and attractions of the exposition at Atlanta next fall were very interestingly and happily set forth by Mr. E. E. Smith, of that city. A handsome compliment was paid to the enterprising managers of Tennessee's Centennial exposition in 1896. The courtesies and help given Nashville's committee on its recent trip were alluded to as showing Atlanta's good will, and the speaker pointed out that the two expositions were rivals only in good works.

"Mr. Smith argued that this is the greatest opportunity the south had yet obtained to show how it has risen, Phoenix-like, from the ashes of war and desolation; to exhibit what remarkable progress had been made, and to show that capital, trade and intelligent immigration could find no better region in this whole country to locate. He urged that Tennessee's men and Tennessee's women should make there such an exhibit as would be a source of pride as well as be a proper index to the standing and relative importance of Tennessee among her sister southern states.

"While the beautiful prospectus of the exposition was being distributed, on motion a committee, headed by Professor Jordan, of the State university, was appointed by the chair to set forth the views and feelings of the association."

**A Wife Murderer Executed.**

New Bedford, Mass., December 14.—Daniel M. Robertson was hanged at 10:42 o'clock this morning for the murder of his wife on September 9, 1893. The execution passed off without special incident.

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## This Will Be the Last Day of the Exposition Bazaar.

## THE BABY SHOW WAS THE FEATURE

### Of Yesterday—There Was a Good Crowd and Much Interest—Notes and Gossip of Society.

One of the largest crowds that has attended the bazaar was present last evening. All the booths did a flourishing business and at dinner and supper the restaurant presented a most attractive scene. Mrs. Pappenheimer and Mrs. Rich had as their assistants a number of ladies skilled in all the dainty arts of cookery and the menu, whose service and preparation they superintended, was delicious. They were assisted by a number of the prettiest and most attractive young ladies of Atlanta, as well as by several visitors, who deserve to be classed in the same category of youth and beauty and attractiveness.

The valentine booth was in charge of Mrs. Steele yesterday, assisted by Mrs. Whelan and Mrs. Otley, and it was, of course, a very attractive place.

Mrs. Dickson was not in attendance at her booth on account of the illness of a relative, and Mrs. A. H. Cox was in charge, assisted by Mrs. Dick Johnson.

Mrs. Joseph Kingsbery was in charge of the Fulton county booth. She wishes it announced that there are two handsome cakes that are to be sold tonight with the lovely mandolin donated by the Estey Organ Company. This booth will be in charge of Mrs. Captain J. A. Miller today.

All the booths were well patronized. The ladies are making especial preparations for today and it will be worth everybody's while to be present.

**The Baby Show.**

Of course the baby show was the big feature of the day. At 1 o'clock the little ones were on hand and the sight was one certainly worth going a long distance to see. The babies literally took possession of the bazaar. They were there of all degrees and attraction—every little lord or lady deeply interested, apparently, in every other one. The bazaar was crowded with people at this time, for the baby show proved a great drawing power.

There were two sets of prizes, one set for babies under one year, the other for babies between one and two years.

Of the babies less than one-year-old Raymond Tate Cole was awarded the first prize and Henry B. Tompkins, Jr., the second. Of babies between one and two years the first prize went to Marion Goldsmith, the second to Topliff Davis.

**Contests Close Today.**

Today will be a lively one in the various contests that have been going on during the week and the closing scenes tonight will probably be most exciting.

In every respect the day will be a notable one.

The restaurant has been doing a good business all the week and is continually crowded with hungry persons seeking a good dinner, which they always find. The restaurant will be in charge of Mrs. W. A. Hemphill today with a corps of competent lady assistants. As today is the last day of the bazaar a special menu has been prepared and a better dinner and supper cannot be had in the city. Mrs. Hemphill invites all her friends and hopes there will be a large crowd present to partake of the excellent lunch prepared.

The voting in the bankers' contest registered last evening as follows: Ottley 268, Atkinson 229, Orme 170, Erwin 196, Maddox 154. There is not much change in the other bankers from Thursday.

The insurance men are running a close race, but there is not much change from Thursday, with the exception of Mr. Shedden, who has run up to 235, and Mr. Grant, who has gone up to 201.

The closing day and night promises to be the most interesting of the week.

A good family dinner and supper will be served at the ladies' bazaar tomorrow, Saturday, the 15th. The ladies will be glad to have all their friends call.

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Miss Marie Howard Palmer, of Richmond, Va., is in the city the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Singleton, on Georgia avenue. Miss Palmer is one of the most charming and interesting young ladies of the Old Dominion, and will make many friends during her stay in the city.

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The cotillon of the Cotillon Club at the Capital City Club last night was the most elegant event of the season. It was the first cotillon—always interesting and always one of the functions looked forward to by all society. The gathering last evening was one of notable elegance. The affair was in every respect one of the most delightful Atlanta has ever known. The cotillon was danced in the beautiful ballroom.

There were beautiful flowers galore and women still more beautiful. The stairway was fairly festooned and hidden in banks of prince's feather ferns. Palms were artistically arranged wherever they could be placed to advantage. The tables were brilliantly set and handsomely decorated. The floral decorations were perhaps among the prettiest ever seen here and reflected great credit on the Westview Floral Company, which had the affair in charge as to flowers.

Added to the striking costumes were the flowers that many of the young ladies carried. An especially handsome bouquet was that carried by Miss Lucy Peel. It was of Cattleya Torianae orchids and lilies of the valley, interspersed with Farlayense fern; lavender ribbon completed the effect.

Miss Alline Stocking carried a bouquet that was nothing less than a great armful of American beauties tied with American beauty ribbon. The effect was charming.

A very handsome bouquet of American beauties interspersed with hyacinths, all in a setting of maiden's hair ferns, was that of Miss Willie Peck.

Miss Cornelia Jackson's flowers were handsome La France roses and hyacinths, artistically arranged with Farleyense ferns, and tied with pink ribbon.

Miss Addie Maude carried Cusine roses and William Scott carnations, making altogether a very striking arrangement.

Miss Payne, who is visiting Miss Peel, carried a bouquet of meteor and Perles des Jardins, completing the effect with foliage ribbon.

Beautiful bouquets were also carried by Miss Louise Bigby, Miss Virginia Arnold, Miss Lillie Orme, Miss Echols and Miss Moore.

The menu was delicious, containing all the delicacies of the season. It was:

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Poisson.
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Entree.
Filet de Volaille en Caisse, Choux fleurs.
Rotis.
Canard de Mallard. Gelee Groseille.
Pommery. Celerie Mayonnaise.
Dessert.
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Bonbons. Dessert Assorti. Cafe.
Creme de Menthe.

Marietta, Ga., December 14.—(Special.)—The marriage of Mr. C. P. Green and Miss Gertrude Moore occurred Wednesday evening, at the home of the bride's parents in Smyrna, Ga., and was a very happy event. Rev. A. J. Morgan, of Acworth, performed the ceremony. The marriage was a quiet one, only the immediate family and a few intimate friends being present. The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Moore. In addition to being very beautiful she is a most lovable young lady in every respect. The groom is a brilliant and promising young lawyer at the Marietta bar, and has a bright future before him. He is a graduate of the University of Georgia in the class of 1893, and none was more popular than he.

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# WEST SIDERS CONFER

## They Want That Alabama Street Bridge Built Next Year.

## SEVERAL COUNCILMEN MAKE SPEECHES

### Citizens of the West Side Hold a Meeting to Take Action for the Improvement of Their Section of Town.

West Atlanta, that section of the city around Taylor hill, as it was known years ago, will be a factor before the general council next year.

And if the talk of the people living in that section of the city counts for aught, and the hard work of the same people can do any good, west Atlanta will be a happier home for many home owners before the next year is half gone, than it has ever been before.

For many years the people living west of the big hill, known in the past as Taylor hill, have been trying to secure water, sewers and streets, but so far they have been unable to accomplish anything. The representatives of those wards in the council have done all that could be done, but somehow it seems as though they could secure very little of the much that was wanted. That the two wards, or rather that portion of the two wards where the line is laid down on the city map, are sadly in need of many things is beyond a question of doubt. There is no water for fire purposes or other uses in that section of the city, and it is in that section alone that Chief Joyner finds it impossible to conquer fires. Fires over there usually burn their course and the house that once catches afire is doomed, as it takes more than a thousand feet of hose to reach some portions, while other portions of the section are wholly out of the reach of the water service. Then the sewerage of that portion of the city is bad because the water is not accessible for flushing and flowing. In fact the sewerage has not been given the attention there that that section of the city demands.

Then the streets and sidewalks are not as abundant as the people would like, while there is a dearth of curbing that makes the property owners weary who want good paving.

One of the principal complaints of the people of the west side is the want of a direct route to the city. In order to reach the heart of the city it is necessary for the people on the hill and west of it to go to the Nelson street bridge, the Magnolia street bridge or the Jones avenue bridge, unless they want to cross some of the railroad tracks. At either of these bridges they are almost as far from the heart of the city as they were before they started on the trip, and yet in order to reach the bridge they must have traveled almost as much distance as they are yet compelled to cover to reach Whitehall street.

To obviate this serious inconvenience the people want a bridge more than anything else, and that bridge is the one over Alabama street about which so much talking has been done and so little work has been shown.

For some days past the people in that section of the city have been discussing the necessities of the wards and a day or two ago it was decided to have a meeting at the store of Gardner & Myers, on the corner of Davis and Foundry streets and to ask the members-elect from those two wards to be present. The store is on the line which divides the wards, and it was quite a crowd present when the meeting convened. Diagonally across the street from the store is a church, and the meeting was held in the lecture room of the church. Mr. Mayson, the councilman-elect from the first ward, and Mr. Sims, the councilman-elect from the fifth ward, were both present by invitation. Both gentlemen addressed the assembly and both promised to do all that could be done to make that section of the two wards better than it had ever been before.

Several citizens of the wards talked plainly about the many promises that had been made by members of the council and the little work that had been secured.

"The truth is," said Mr. Johnson, one of the leading citizens of the ward, "we have had promises until promises are worn out with us. We now want work and there is not a man living in this section of the city, where the two wards come together, who does not think we have anything but good working members of the council this time. I do not mean to reflect on the gentlemen who have been in the council from these two wards before, because they have all worked hard, notwithstanding the fact that they have secured so little. I think if we will stand behind our new representatives and help them along we will get what we want. But we must not expect them to do all. We must go to work ourselves and push the matter and see that we help them."

Mr. Gardner spoke in the same way and pledged his aid to the members from the two wards and urged all those present to call upon the other members of the council and push the work.

Mr. Shank spoke in the same way and so did Mr. Buchanan.

Mr. Sims promised the residents of his section of the territory that he would do all he could to secure the building of the bridge so as to open a direct line of communication with the heart of the city.

"The side of the city," said Mr. Sims, "on which I live is easy of access to the city, but this portion of the ward is as much my watch as any other part and I promise now that I will do all I can, not only to secure that bridge, but to give this section of the city, whether it be in the fifth or the first, the best that can be done. I will make it my business to see what can be done and do all that can be done. I know that the people over here have been slighted, and while I regret it, I know not where to lay the blame. But if you will give me your help I'll do all that one member of the council can do to that end."

"I have heard all Mr. Sims has said," said Mr. Mayson, the member-elect from the first, "and it will be one of the pleasures of my life to add to the comforts and pleasures of the residents of this section of the city, whether they be residents of the first or the fifth ward. I think it is my duty to legislate for one ward just the same as for another, and while I shall work for the first ward first and hardest, I shall be ready at any time to do anything for the rest of the city. But here where the ward lines are almost wiped out I shall work just as hard for one side as for the other. It is useless for me to say that I am for a bridge over Alabama street or any other street that will let us into the city. The man over here who is not had better get up and move away."

Several committees were appointed, who will take in hand the various features of the work that is needed in that section of the city and who will lend all their abilities to the members of the council from the two wards to secure what is wanted.

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# NELSON'S SLAYER.

## A Negro Thought to Be the Murderer of the Conductor Captured.

## SAYS THAT HE WAS AT WAYCROSS

### But He Denies the Crime, and Declares That He Had Nothing to Do with It. He Will Be Identified Today.

A desperate looking darky, thought to be the slayer of Conductor J. F. Nelson, who was foully murdered on the excursion train near Waycross on July 22d last, was captured yesterday in this city by Officer Mehaffey.

The negro denies that he is the man who did the killing, but his name he gave upon arrest, his appearance compared with the description of Tom Johnson and the flimsy account he gives of himself make it more than probable that he is the man.

Since the killing Mehaffey and Detective Wooster, who works with him, have been steadily at work on the case. The negro was located in Jacksonville several weeks ago and from that place he was traced to Atlanta.

THE NEGRO UNDER ARREST.

It was known that he was here and the officers have been on the alert to locate him. Yesterday Mehaffey was making his way down Decatur street. He was not on duty and wore citizen's clothes. From a saloon just beyond Piedmont avenue a large negro came out and the officer was brought face to face with him. In an instant the thought flashed over him that the negro was Tom Johnson, the murderer of Conductor Nelson. With his usual shrewdness Mehaffey went to work. He told the negro to stop.

"Just come with me," he said, leading the man down the street. "I know who you are. You are John Henderson and you are wanted in Charlotte, N. C., for burning a barn."

"Fore Gord, boss, dat ain't my name," said the negro, beginning to tremble. "No, sah, dat ain't my name. I'm Henry Johnson."

"Yes, but you burned a house in North Carolina last July and I'll just send you back."

"No, sah, boss, dat sholy wan't me. I wuz down 'bout Waycross in July in de terpentine work and I ain't neber seen North Carliny."

Mehaffey led the negro on by this method, finally determining that he was in Waycross on the 24th, two days after the murder was committed. Carried to the station house he was examined with regard to the description sent out in the governor's proclamation when the reward of $250 was offered. His appearance tallied with the description and the negro was informed for what he had been arrested. He became very excited and nervous.

"I ain't the man," he said. "I wasn't in dat part of the country and I don't know anything about the killin' of Captain Nelson."

Johnson became very much confused and could give no credible account of himself or his whereabouts at the time of the shooting. Late in the evening Detective Wooster saw the negro and said he was positive that he was Tom Johnson. He cross-questioned him and the negro several times criminated himself.

"I am positive I have the man," said Officer Mehaffey. "In every detail he tallies with the description of the murderer of Conductor Nelson and he might as well confess."

The murder of Conductor Nelson was one of the most heinous crimes in the criminal annals of south Georgia.

The conductor was one of the most popular men on the road. He had been a member of the Order of Railway Conductors for some years and was looked upon as one of the best men in that order.

Sunday, July 22d, he had charge of a train returning from Brunswick to Albany. It was made up of five cars filled up with negro excursionists.

The negroes were disorderly and several times the conductor found it necessary to quell incipient riots. At the eighty milepost, which is about seventeen miles from Waycross on the Brunswick and Western road, he went into the third coach, where a fight was in lively progress.

Tom Johnson seemed to be the cause of the disturbance. He was warned to be quiet.

But just as the conductor turned his back Johnson pulled his pistol and began firing. At the same time he grabbed the bell cord and the train came to a standstill. Leaping off, the desperado took to the swamp, where he was searched for by enraged posses.

The authorities at Waycross have been notified and Johnson will be taken back. There is a reward of $750 for his capture, which will come to the patrolman if he is the right man.

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$1,000 buys lot 50x150 on Pryor street near Buena Vista avenue. This is cheap.

$2,000 buys 4-room, 2-room and 1-room house on lot 50x200 to alley on Davis street.

$1,600 cash buys lot 50x175 to 10-foot alley on Washington street near Mr. Dodson's residence. This lot $500 less than anything in the neighborhood.

$650 cash buys corner lot 100x100 on McMillian street. This is exceedingly cheap.

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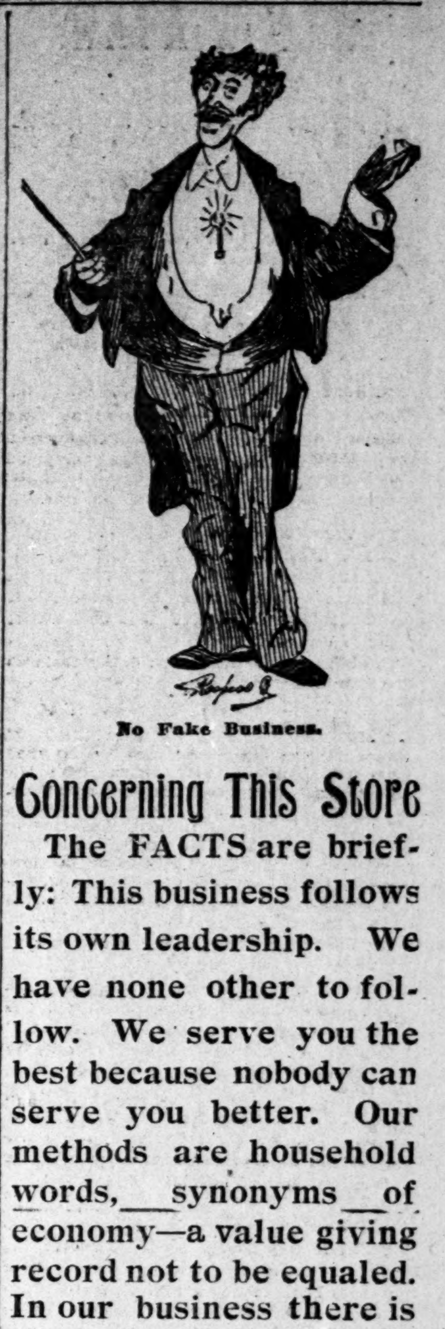

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## THE NEW SCHOOL COMMISSIONER HERE

### He Will Appoint Major Guinn as His Assistant—The Exposition Resolutions Signed—Other Matters.

The Venable bill is now a law.

The governor affixed his official signature to the document yesterday afternoon and those who have argued that the bill is unconstitutional will have to establish that point in the courts.

The bill adds to the person doing business in Georgia a new class—that of insurance brokers, and it adds a new class of insurance that is insurance in outside companies which is to be procured through these brokers.

Yesterday morning was devoted to a hearing by the governor on both sides of the question. Insurance men and their representatives were there to say why, in their opinion, the bill should not become a law, and there were also present representatives of the other side of the controversy.

Mr. James F. O'Neill argued in favor of the bill, presenting clearly and strongly the merits of the measures, as he conceived them, and as he had presented them to the senate and house judiciary committee.

Mr. W. C. Glenn followed, arguing against the measure, as did Captain E. S. Gay, Mr. Joel Hurt, and Mr. Eggleston, president of the Southeastern Tariff Association. Dr. F. H. Peck took the other side of the controversy and the concluding speeches were made by Mr. O'Neill and Mr. Glenn.

The hearing consumed the entire morning and it was nearly 2 o'clock before the governor was able to leave his office. After he came back in the afternoon he carefully considered the bill with the lights before him and affixed his official signature to the enrolled copy, which came from the senate, and it became a law.

**Commutation Refused.**

During the progress of the hearing on the insurance bill, the governor received several telegrams from Elberton, asking that he interfere in the case of Alex Williams, the negro sentenced to hang yesterday. A month ago the governor granted a respite in this case to enable the attorney to show good reasons for a commutation of the death sentence, but after studying the case thoroughly the governor came to the conclusion that there was no good reason for his interference and he so telegraphed the authorities of Elbert county.

**The New State School Commissioner.**

Professor Glen, the new state school commissioner, was sworn in yesterday and will assume the duties of his office on the 1st of January. He came up from Macon during the morning and at 3 o'clock had a conference with Governor Atkinson. The professor did not remain long in the city, as he returned to Macon on the 4 o'clock train, but he stayed long enough to announce among other things that he would certainly reappoint Major R. J. Guinn assistant commissioner.

Professor Glen stands very high among the educators of the state and is an exceedingly pleasant gentleman, one who is sure to make an excellent impression in the office.

**The Exposition Bill Signed.**

The governor has signed the joint resolutions providing for an exhibit and an appropriation for the exposition. He has also signed the school law, the insurance bill and a number of other general acts.

The work of the clerks in both senate and house is well up and by today all of the enrolled acts will be signed by the officers of both houses and will be sent to the executive department.

The registration bill, the tax act and the appropriations act are the last in the hands of the clerks, owing to their length and the care which must be exercised in enrolling them.

**The School Commission Bill.**

The bill providing for an amendment of the constitution by which the state school commissioner shall be elected by the people has not yet reached the governor.

It is said that there is an obstacle in the way of the practical operation of the provisions of the bill—that is in its submission to the people at its next general election as the constitution requires of all constitutional amendments.

It has been the practice heretofore, whether by design or otherwise, to introduce these bills, providing for submission of amendment, at the second sessions of the legislature and there would be no trouble with this bill if it had been introduced at a second session, but the bill has lost sight of the fact that the next general election is in January, for it provides for sixty days' advertisement, which obviously cannot be done before the January election. What Governor Atkinson will do with the bill nobody knows. He is quoted by some of his friends as being strongly inclined against the measure. Should it be submitted to the people, it could not, however, go into effect for four years and could in no way effect his appointments or appointee.

**Two Merchants Saved.**

Governor Atkinson signed the insolvent trader's act immediately upon its submission to him and by doing so saved two merchants from the hands of receivers.

The ink had hardly become dry on the act when an Atlanta lawyer called upon the governor to ask whether the act had been signed or not and when told that it had said that he had the papers all drawn and in half an hour more would have had an Atlanta merchant in the hands of a receiver.

Last evening a similar inquiry was made by another attorney and a similar state of affairs developed.

The bill is regarded generally as an excellent piece of legislation. It provides that three-quarters of the indebtedness shall be represented in an application for a receivership instead of just three individual creditors, as has been the law. It is a law which unquestionably has been abused at times and the advocates of the change believe they have enacted as a substitute a law which will greatly improve the situation.

**Crabb Reappointed.**

At the instance of the penitentiary authorities the governor has reappointed J. N. Crabb as whipping boss.

Crabb's principal claim to prominence so far as the outside world is concerned, is based on the episode in which he and Lord Beresford figured. Crabb, it will be remembered, took Beresford away from the camp with him and Mr. Grass, the lessee of that particular lot of convicts, was subsequently fired by Governor Northen for permitting this to be done.

"I reappointed or rather approved the appointment of Crabb," said Governor Atkinson yesterday, "because the penitentiary authorities and the penitentiary lessees especially requested it. It was shown that Crabb had been a faithful officer for fifteen years; that this was his first indiscretion, and that he was not altogether at least responsible for this. He has been punished for it and I thought, in view of all the facts, that it was eminently proper.

**Disabilities Removed.**

Upon strong petitioners in each case the governor has removed the political disabilities of Guilford Battle, who served two years in the penitentiary for larceny, being sent up from Monroe county; and of Joe Branch, of Marion county, convicted of aiding in escape.

No bride should commence housekeeping without a supply of Dr. Price's Baking Powder. It's a boon to beginners.

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS AND FORECAST

No decidedly cold weather was visible last night upon the weather map and moderate temperatures, with generally clear skies, prevailed everywhere. An area of low pressure was central in the northwest over the Dakotas, and from that point southeastward the barometric pressure steadily increases and centers in a high area over the south Atlantic states. This northwestern low has, as yet, developed no rain, but it is making its influence felt in the way of wind, and at observation time last night high winds prevailed in advance of the storm as far east as Lake Michigan and southeast to Missouri. Very little if any rain fell throughout the states yesterday and from the reports received by the weather bureau last night it looked as if the weather today would be about the same as that of yesterday.

For Georgia today—Fair, slightly warmer.

**Local Report for December 14, 1894.**

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| Mean daily temperature.. .. .. .. ...... | 46 |
| Normal temperature.. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 45 |
| Highest in 24 hours .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 58 |
| Lowest in 24 hours.. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 34 |
| Rainfall, 24 hours to 7 p. m.. .. .. .. .. | .00 |
| Deficiency of rainfall since January 1st | 11.37 |

**Weather Bulletin.**

Observations taken at 7 o'clock, p. m., December 14, 1894:

| STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER. | Barometric Pressure... | Temperature.. .. .. | Wind Velocity.. .. .. | Rainfall in Past 12 Hours | Maximum Temperature... |
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| SOUTHEAST— | | | | | |
| Atlanta, Ga., clear. . . . | 30.28 | 48 | 8 | .00 | 58 |
| Augusta, Ga., clear. . . . | 30.30 | 48 | L | .00 | 62 |
| Charlotte, N. C., clear. . | 30.24 | 50 | L | .00 | 58 |
| Jacksonville, Fla., clear. . | 30.22 | 54 | L | .00 | 66 |
| Knoxville, Tenn., clear. . | 30.34 | 44 | L | .00 | 50 |
| Mobile, Ala., clear. . . . | 30.28 | 52 | 6 | .00 | 60 |
| Montgomery, Ala., clear. . | 30.26 | 52 | L | .00 | 58 |
| Pensacola, Fla., clear. . | 30.26 | 56 | 6 | .00 | 64 |
| Savannah, Ga., clear. . . . | 30.26 | 54 | L | .00 | 62 |
| Tampa, Fla., clear. . . . | 30.16 | 60 | L | .00 | 70 |
| Wilmington, N. C., clear. . | 30.24 | 46 | L | .00 | 58 |
| SOUTHWEST— | | | | | |
| Abilene, Tex., cloudy. . . | 30.22 | 56 | 12 | .00 | 60 |
| Corpus Christi, Tex., clear. . | 30.24 | 62 | .. | .00 | 64 |
| Fort Smith, Ark., clear. . | 30.28 | 52 | 6 | .00 | 56 |
| Galveston, Tex., clear. . . | 30.28 | 58 | 6 | .00 | 58 |
| Memphis, Tenn., clear. . . | 30.30 | 52 | L | .00 | 58 |
| Meridian, Miss., clear. . . | 30.28 | 44 | L | .00 | 56 |
| New Orleans, La., clear. . | 30.26 | 56 | L | .00 | [illegible] |
| Palestine, Tex., clear. . . | 30.28 | 56 | L | .00 | 64 |
| San Antonio, Tex., pt. cloudy | 30.26 | 64 | L | .00 | 68 |
| Vicksburg, Miss., clear. . | 30.26 | 54 | L | .00 | 62 |
| NORTHEAST— | | | | | |
| Baltimore, Md., clear. . . | 30.18 | 40 | L | .00 | 48 |
| Buffalo, N. Y., clear. . . | 30.06 | 40 | 22 | T | 42 |
| Cincinnati, O., clear. . . | 30.26 | 44 | L | .00 | 48 |
| Detroit, Mich., clear. . . | 30.08 | 38 | 16 | .00 | 44 |
| Lynchburg, Va., clear. . | 30.22 | 44 | .. | .00 | 68 |
| New York, N. Y., clear. . | 30.10 | 40 | 16 | .00 | 50 |
| Norfolk, Va., clear. . . | 30.22 | 44 | .. | .00 | 52 |
| NORTHWEST— | | | | | |
| Chicago, Ill., clear. . . . | 30.02 | 44 | 30 | .00 | 44 |
| Denver, Col., clear. . . . | 29.94 | 50 | 6 | .00 | 62 |
| Dodge City, Kan., pt. cldy.. | 29.98 | 50 | 22 | .00 | 54 |
| Huron, S. D., clear. . . . | 29.68 | 36 | .. | .00 | 50 |
| Kansas City, Kan., clear. . | 30.04 | 48 | 14 | .00 | 56 |
| North Platte, Neb., clear. . | 29.94 | 40 | 10 | .00 | 66 |
| Omaha, Neb., clear. . . | 29.84 | 48 | 8 | .00 | 56 |
| Rapid City, S. D., pt. cloudy. | 29.68 | 42 | 6 | .00 | 64 |
| St. Louis, Mo., clear. . . | 30.14 | 52 | 22 | .00 | 60 |
| St. Paul, Minn., clear. . . | 29.74 | 40 | L | .00 | 50 |

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**Barrett Sentenced.**

Columbia, S. C., December 13.—Barrett, the chief of the gang of postoffice conspirators, who have been on trial here the past week in the United States court, was sentenced yesterday in the conspiracy case to eighteen months' imprisonment in the government prison at Columbus, O., and to pay a fine of $3,000.

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## Notice to Non-Resident Defendants.

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Citizens' National bank, Louisville, Ky.
Border Grange bank of Virginia.
First National Bank, of Orlando, Fla.
Fourth National bank, of Louisville, Ky.
The National Bank of Deposit, of New York.
John McNab bank, of Alabama.
National Bank of Commerce, Kansas City.
First National Bank of Arkansas.
H. F. Dutton & Co.
Davis & Wiley.
J. H. Fitts & Co.
Knoxville Savings bank.
First National bank, of Lynchburg, Va.
National Exchange bank, of Dallas.
Second National bank, of Akron, O.
Polk County bank, of Bartow, Fla.
Keystone National bank, of Philadelphia.
Merchants' National bank, of Boston.
National Bank of State of Florida, Jacksonville.
Merchants' National bank, of Ocala, Fla.
South Michigan National bank, Coldwater, Mich.
Coggins, Ford & Martin.
Farmers' and Merchants' bank, Macon, Miss.
Bank of Christianburg, Va.
Kellogg National bank, of Green "Bay," Mich.
J. E. D. Shipp.
The Prairie State National bank, Chicago.

Creditors' bill for receiver and injunction and relief.

No. 242 Fulton Superior Court, Spring Term, 1889.

VS.

The Mercantile Banking Co.
J. R. Tolleson.
Atlanta Mercantile Co.
J. M. Richards.
E. L. Fowler.
J. Frank Lester.
H. C. Underwood.
J. H. & A. L. James,

And cross bill filed by the last named defendants, seeking injunction and interpleader, under which the Phoenix National bank, of New York; Third National bank, of Jersey City; the American Trust and Banking Co., of Atlanta, Ga., and Walter E. Haynes, of Bridgeport, Conn., are made parties defendant.

Petition for interpleader, injunction and relief in the same cause and in the same court.

STATE OF GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—To the defendants, the Phoenix National bank, of the city of New York, state of New York; the Third National bank, of Jersey City, state of New Jersey, and W. E. Haynes, of the city of Bridgeport, state of Connecticut:

Please take notice that in the above named cause you were by order of the judge of said court, dated July 3, 1893, duly made parties defendant in said cause; that under the pleadings filed by the said J. H. & A. L. James under their cross bill the remedy is sought by which you are required to assert your rights, if you have any, touching three certain certificates of deposit, each for the sum of one thousand three hundred, eight and 33-100 dollars ($1,308.33), dated Atlanta, Ga., February 7, 1889, purporting to have been issued by J. H. & A. L. James in favor of one H. C. Underwood, and purporting to be endorsed by said H. C. Underwood, and to assert your rights, if you have any, touching the fund represented in said certificates by appropriate proceedings in said cause, stated and described in the caption of this notice; and by the pleadings of the said J. H. & A. L. James it is sought that on the final decree the verdict and judgment in said cause be so molded as to protect the said J. H. & A. L. James against any other or further suit by any or either of said defendants other than such as they may assert in our said court under these present proceedings, and that you, the said defendants, and each of you be enjoined until the hearing from instituting any act or proceeding, founded upon said certificates, or any of them, and until the further order of the court. You will further take notice that a temporary injunction was, by order of the judge of this court, duly granted as prayed for, said order dated July 3, 1893, and that on the same day process issued against you, all as appears of record.

You will accordingly further take notice and are hereby commanded and required to be and appear at the next term of our said court to be held at Atlanta, Ga., in and for the county of Fulton, state aforesaid, on the first Monday in March, 1895, tnere to answer and make defense in said cause, if you have any, as in default thereof said court will proceed as to justice shall appertain.

Witness the Honorable J. H. Lumpkin, judge of said court, this 28th day of November, 1894. G. H. TANNER, Clerk.

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**Sheriff's Sales for January, 1895.**

WILL BE SOLD before the courthouse door, in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tuesday in January, 1895, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property, towit:

All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, being a part of land lot 20, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, more fully described as follows: Commencing at a point at the southwest corner of the intersection of Tennille and Estora streets, thence running south along the west side of Estora street 131 2-10 feet, thence west 154 feet, thence north 84 feet to Tennille street, thence northeast along Tennille 162 3-10 feet to the starting point, the same being known as lots Nos. 29 and 30 of the G. W. Adair plat of the Stephens property. Also, that certain other tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, being a part of land lot No. 20, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, more fully described as follows: Beginning at a point at the southwest corner of Tennille and Pearl streets, thence running south 135 feet along the west side of Pearl street, thence west 152 feet, thence south 50 feet, thence west 152 feet to Estora street, thence north along the east side of Estora street 93 feet to Tennille street, thence in a northeasterly direction, running along Tennille street 318 6-10 feet to Pearl street, the starting point, the same being known as lots Nos. 2 and 3, 27 and 28 of the G. W. Adair plat of the Stephens property, the first above described piece of land having been conveyed to said Aiken & Carnahan by A. P. Herrington and P. S. B. Ford on May 16, 1892, that deed being rein said book in "J4," page 68. Levied on as Fulton superior court, the second having been conveyed to them by J. R. King on December 2, 1891, that deed being recorded corded in Book "J4," page 69, clerk's office, the property of H. M. Aiken and F. W. Carnahan to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta in favor of the Merchants and Mechanics' Banking and Loan Company against the said H. M. Aiken and F. W. Carnahan. Property described in fi. fa.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, towit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, land lot No. 109, of the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, and being a part of the Lawshe sub-division and having a frontage of thirty-three and one third (33 1-3) feet, on the west side of Vine street, and running back west with uniform width ninety-five (95) feet. Levied upon as the property of H. Phillips to satisfy two fi. fas. issued from the J. P. court of the 1026th district, G. M., one in favor of S. D. Rambo vs. Harry Phillips and N. Holmes, and one in favor of S. D. Rambo vs. J. W. Skinner and Harry Phillips. Property pointed out by plantiff's attorney.

Also at the same time and place, the following described property, as the property of the defendant, C. J. Simmons, towit: All those tracts or parcels of land lying and being in Fulton county, Georgia, described as follows: Parcel one (1) beginning at the southwest corner of Wheat and Butler streets, and fronting on Wheat street twenty-three (23) feet and extending back south same width along west side of Butler street and line parellel therewith sixty (60) feet; in land lot unmber fifty-one (51) of the fourteenth (14th) district of Fulton county, and part of lot number five(5) of Wallace & Fowler plat of March 4th, 1871. Parcel two (2), beginning on west side of Garibaldi street two hundred and ten (210) feet north of Eads street and fronting thence north on Garibaldi street two hundred and ten (210) feet to Sharp street (now Georgia avenue,) and extending back west same width one hundred (100) feet, bounded on the north by Sharp street (now Georgia avenue) and south by straight line parallel therewith; being lots unmber 13, 14, 15, and 16 of block number two (2) in land lot number eighty-six (86) of the fourteenth (14th) district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia, as per plat of Adair of April 11th, 1883. Parcel three (3), beginning on northwest side of West Baker street between Luckie and Marietta streets at a point seventy-six (76) feet southwest from the northwest corner of West Baker and Luckie streets; thence southwesterly along west side of West Baker street fifty-two (52) feet, more or less; thence back northerly one hundred and eight (108) feet, more or less, to an alley; thence easterly toward Luckie street thirty-five (35) feet, more or less; thence southeasterly one hundred (100) feet, more or less, to beginning; being in land lot number seventy-eight (78) of the fourteenth district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia, and in city lot number one hundred and twenty-six (126). Parcel four (4), fronting on north side of Rock street seventy and three-fourths (70¾) feet and extending back north same width one hundred and forty-one and one half (141½) feet; bounded on October 1st, 1889, as follows: on the east by lot John N. Wood, and on the west by lot of James Thurman, and on the north by lot of Carlton, and on the south by Rock street, being a part of land lot number eighty-three (83) of the fourteenth (14th) district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia. Being the same land conveyed to said C. J. Simmons by Southern Banking and Trust Company by deed dated December 4th, 1894, for the purpose of enforcing the attached fi. fa. out of the same, which deed has been filed and recorded in the office of the clerk of superior court of Fulton county, Ga, before this levy was made. Levied on as the property of C. J. Simmons to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of Southern Banking and Trust Company, of Atlanta vs. said C. J. Simmons, principal, and J. M. B. Carlton, security. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in land lot 81, in the fourteenth district of originally Henry county, now in Fulton county, Georgia, beginning at a point three hundred (300) feet south of Exposition street, running thence south along Curren street, one hundred (100) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence east one hundred (100) feet, to beginning point, being lots Nos. 159, 160, 161 and 162 of the subdivision of the Dillon property, as per plat recorded in book "00," page 328, being same property conveyed to Theo F. Monroe by deed dated March 18th, 1892, by J. T. Blackstock. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, Theo F. Monroe, to satisfy a mortgage fi. fa. issued from the Fulton superior court in favor of Southern Loan and Banking Co vs. the said Theo F. Monroe..

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. 4 of the Dye subdivision of a part of land lot No. 91 in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, fronting twenty-six six and one-half (26½) feet on Marietta street, and running back east or northeasterly one hundred and forty feet to an alley and fronting on said alley forty-four (44) feet, being bounded on the east or southeast by lot No. 3 of said Dye property and north or northeasterly by land recently purchased by Greenfield from W. R. Richerson, defendant in said fi. fa., lying between Wallace street and Ponders avenue, in the city of Atlanta. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, W. R. Richerson, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta in favor of Elbert & Schmidt, and by them transferred to D. Greenfield, vs. the said W. R. Richerson.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: All that tract of land lying in the southwest corner of land lot 201, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, adjoining lands of W. I. Zachery and E. H. Poole, and cornering with lands of Poole, Zachery and Roberts, and running along the line of Hughey's and Zachery's land fourteen hundred and eight (1408) feet on the west, and fifteen hundred and six (1506) feet on the east lines, two hundred and ten (210) feet on the south line, and two hundred and ten (210) feet on the north line, which north line runs along the center of the Sandtown road, said tract containing about seven and one-quarter (7¼) acres; and also that certain other tract of land in said land lot and situated just below the dam of the pond, and being in size one hundred (100) feet front by two hundred (200) feet deep, the corners thereof being indicated by stones and on which is located the tannery of the Utoy Manufacturing Company, together with the water privilege forever from said pond for use in said tannery, which privilege was deeded to said Zachery by H. H. Hughey, together with all improvements on said two tracts of land Levied upon as the property of the Utoy Manufacturing Company to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of G. A. Howell vs. the said Utoy Manufacturing Company. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A one forty-fifth undivided interest in and to a certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the 14th district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, and in the northeast corner of land lot 56, known as part of the Cole nursery property, commencing at the northeast corner of McDonough road and Apple street, at a point thirty (30) feet east of Mrs. M. D. Cole's land, running thence northeasterly along the east side of Apple street, which is a uniform width of thirty (30) feet, to the right of way of the Atlanta and Flordia railroad, thence due north still along the side of Apple street, to the north line of said land lot 56, thence due east along said land lot line to the northeast corner of said land lot, thence due south along the east line of land lot to the McDonough road, thence westerly along the McDonough road to Apple street, the point of beginning, except that part of the above described tract of land heretofore conveyed to the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Company, and the Atlanta and Florida Railroad Company for right of way and depot purposes, and except a tract of five (5) acres to A. T. Pickert and Michael Emme and the part hereby conveyed containing forty-five (45) acres, more or less. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, A. P. Nelms, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of W. D. Beatie and others versus the said A. P. Nelms, tenant in possession, notified. Deed filed as provided by law. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A one forty-fifth undivided interest in and to a certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the 14th district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, and in the northeast corner of land lot 56, known as part of the Cole nursery property, commencing at the northeast corner of McDonough road and Apple street, at a point thirty (30) feet east of Mrs. M. D. Cole's land, running thence northeasterly along the east side of Apple street, which is a uniform width of thirty (30) feet, to the right of way of the Atlanta and Florida railroad, thence due north, still along the side of Apple street, to the north line of said land lot 56, thence due east along said land lot line to the northeast corner of said land lot, thence due south along the east line of land lot to the McDonough road, thence westerly along the McDonough road to Apple street, the point of beginning, except that part of the above described tract of land heretofore conveyed to the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Company, and the Atlanta and Florida Railroad Company for right of way and depot purposes and except a tract of five (5) acres to A. T. Pickert and Michael Emme and the part hereby conveyed containing forty-five (45) acres, more or less. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, H. N. Graves, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of W. D. Beatie and others, versus the said H. N. Graves, tenant in possession, notified. Deed filed as provided by law. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A one forty-fifth undivided interest in and to a certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the 14th district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, and in the northeast corner of land lot 56, known as part of the Cole nursery property, commencing at the northeast corner of McDonough road and Apple street, at a point thirty (30) feet east of Mrs. M. D. Cole's land, running thence northeasterly along the east side of Apple street, which is a uniform width of thirty (30) feet, to the right of way of the Atlanta and Florida railroad, thence due north, still along the side of Apple street, to the north line of said land lot 56, thence due east along said land lot line to the northeast corner of said land lot, thence due south along the east line of land lot to the McDonough road, thence westerly along the McDonough road to Apple street, the point of beginning, except that part of the above described tract of land heretofore conveyed to the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Company, and the Atlanta and Florida Railroad Company for right of way and depot purposes and except a tract of (5) acres to A. T. Pickert and Michael Emme and the part hereby conveyed containing forty-five (45) acres, more or less. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, J. W. Heidt, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of W. D. Beatie and others versus the said J. W. Heidt, tenant in possession, notified. Deed filed as provided by law. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A one forty-fifth undivided interest in and to a certain tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the 14th district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, and in the northeast corner of land lot 56, known as part of the Cole nursery property, commencing at the northeast corner of McDonough road and Apple street, at a point thirty (30) feet east of Mrs. M. D. Cole's land, running thence northeasterly along the east side of Apple street, which is a uniform width of thirty (30) feet, to the right of way of the Atlanta and Florida railroad, thence due north, still along the side of Apple street, to the north line of said land lot 56, thence due east along said land lot line to the northeast corner of said land lot, thence due south along the east line of land lot to the McDonough road, thence westerly along the McDonough road to Apple street, the point of beginning, except that part of the above described tract of land heretofore conveyed to the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Company, and the Atlanta and Florida Railroad Company for right of way and depot purposes and except a tract of five (5) acres to A. T. Pickert and Michael Emme and the part hereby conveyed containing forty-five (45) acres, more or less. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, Charles P. Turner, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of W. D. Beatie and others versus the said Charles P. Turner, tenant in possession, notified. Deed filed as provided by law. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, to-wit: A one forty-fifth undivided interest in and to a certain tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the 14th district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, and in the northeast corner of land lot 56, known as part of the Cole nursery property, commencing at the northeast corner of McDonough road and Apple street, at a point thirty (30) feet east of Mrs. M. D. Cole's land, running thence northeasterly along the east side of Apple street, which is a uniform width of thirty (30) feet, to the right of way of the Atlanta and Florida railroad, thence due north still along the side of Apple street, to the north line of said land lot 56, thence due east along said land lot line to the northeast corner of said land lot, thence due south along the east line of land lot to the McDonough road, thence westerly along the McDonough road to Apple street, the point of beginning, except that part of the above described tract of land heretofore conveyed to the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Company and the Atlanta and Florida Railroad Company for right of way and depot purposes, and except a tract of five (5) acres to A. T. Pickert and Michael Emme and the part hereby conveyed containing forty-five (45) acres, more or less. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, J. M. Maury, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of W. D. Beatie and others versus the said J. M. Maury, tenant in possession, notified. Deed filed as provided by law. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, in Fulton county, Georgia, fronting 50 feet on the north side of Rasberry street, and extending north same width as front 70 feet, bounded on the east by Miller's lot, on the west by Hiram Brooks's lot, being the property upon which Hiram Brooks now resides. Levied on as the property of H. Brooks, to satisfy seven fi. fas. issued from J. P. court 1234th district, G. M., in favor of Mutual Loan and Banking Company vs. said H. Brooks. Levy made by J. B. Martin, L. C.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property, towit:—situate, lying and being in land lot 106 of the 17th district of Fulton county, Georgia, commencing at a point one hundred and eighty (180) feet south of where land lot line between lots 105 and 106 crosses Peachtree road, running south along Peachtree road ninety (90) feet, thence west of uniform width two hundred and twenty (220) feet, more or less, to an alley, adjoining lots of J. J. Spalding, on the south and west, and Jacob Haas on the north, and Peachtree road on the east. Levied upon as the property of J. K. Hines to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the city court of Atlanta, Ga., in favor of Capital City bank vs. Ella E. Salter, maker, and J. K. Hines and S. J. Purtell endorsers, the property described in the above levy being a bond or title interest only of said J. K. Hines in and to the same. Property pointed out by plaintiff's attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following described property to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Atlanta, and known in the plan of said city as part of city lot No. 4, in block 123 in land lot No. 51, of the 14th district of said county, commencing on the east side of Butler street, fifty (50) feet, to Hubbard's line, thence extending back east same width as front one hundred and fifty (150) feet. Levied upon as the property of the defendant, Henry Underwood, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the Fulton superior court in favor of Peeples Mutual Building and Loan Association vs. the said Henry Underwood. Property described in fi. fa.

J. J. BARNES, Sheriff.

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# THEY WROTE TO HIM

## Atlanta Lawyers Are Stirred Up About a Remark of Governor Atkinson's.

## SAY THAT THE GOVERNOR WAS UNJUST.

### They Have Written a Letter Asking if the Interview Was Correct—The Statement in Abeyance.

The feeling over the appointment of Mr. John D. Berry by Governor Atkinson and the subsequent developments has by no means abated. That is to say, those who have announced themselves as opposed to the appointment of Mr. Berry are in the same position still.

And this is not all. Fuel has been added to the flames and there has been injected into the fight another issue.

In speaking of the appointment of Mr. Berry to the judgeship and the action of the senate, Governor Atkinson was very outspoken. It was plain that he did not like the way his appointment had been treated. He regarded it in the light of a personal attack and said so.

He is reported to have said that those opposed to his appointment having failed to defeat him for the gubernatorial nomination were prompted to make the fight on Mr. Berry because of this.

This statement was one which the lawyers opposed to Mr. Berry thought to be an unjust insinuation. They were very much exercised over the matter and a circular was immediately started, making an explicit denial of any such motives. It was one which is said to have many pungent statements, and to it were signed the names of nearly all of the gentlemen who opposed Mr. Berry.

Yesterday morning the circular was withdrawn from circulation. It had at first been intended that the contents of the circular, with the names attached, should be printed. Second thought prevailed, however, and a different course has been pursued.

**Letter Written to Governor Atkinson.**

It is said that when the circular was withdrawn it was simply for the purpose of giving Governor Atkinson an opportunity to right himself in the minds of the lawyers who have taken exception to his statement that they were making the fight on him and not on Mr. Berry.

A letter was drawn up by several well-known lawyers, who are on the negative side of the appointment, and it was at once conveyed to Governor Atkinson. What the letter contains could not be learned from any of those interested, nor could a copy be secured. It is known, however, that the most important portion of the letter is that part where reference is made to the statement accredited in an interview to the governor.

Governor Atkinson is asked if he did make the statement as quoted, and if so, whether it was intended to reflect upon the attorneys opposing Mr. Berry, as it appears to do. It is needless to say that an answer is anxiously awaited, and in the meantime the circular is held in abeyance. If the reply is satisfactory the circular will never see the light of day save to be destroyed.

**He Has Received No Letter.**

As soon as definite information was received that the letter had been sent to Governor Atkinson, sometime during yesterday morning, he was spoken to at once. Governor Atkinson stated that he had not received the letter, but that it might be in the day's mail, as he had not looked into the letters received during the day. He also said that he would have nothing to say until the senate met and took further action.

### TESTIMONIALS FOR MR. BERRY.

**Some Strong Expressions from Leading Citizens of Atlanta.**

The opposition to the appointment of Mr. John D. Berry as judge of the city court of Atlanta has aroused the friends of that gentleman. They strongly deny the intimation that he is incompetent.

Mr. Berry presents the following letters testifying to his competence, ability and high character. These letters were written, as will be seen, by prominent member of the Atlanta bar, to Governor Atkinson. The letters are as follows:

**County Commissioner.**

"I beg to commend to the favorable consideration of your excellency the application of Mr. John D. Berry for the judgeship of the city court of Atlanta. I have known Mr. Berry for a number of years and have no hesitation in endorsing him as a gentleman thoroughly versed in the law and the possessor of qualifications which eminently fit him for a judicial position.

"I do not hesitate to say that the appointment of Mr. Berry will give eminent satisfaction, not only to the bar of Atlanta but to the people generally. Yours very respectfully, C. A. COLLIER, "Chairman of the Commissioners of Roads and Revenues of Fulton County."

**County Commissioner.**

"In the interest of Fulton county, I respectfully request that you appoint John D. Berry to the judgeship now held by Hon. T. P. Westmoreland. I have known Mr. Berry for several years, and it gives me pleasure to testify to his recognized ability as a lawyer, and his popularity as a citizen. The position he seeks is one in which the county commissioners have a peculiar interest, and the man appointed to it should be one thoroughly familiar with the best interests of the county, and fully in touch with the good people of the community. Most respectfully yours, "FORREST ADAIR, "County Commissioner."

**County Commissioner.**

"It gives me pleasure to recommend Mr. John D. Berry to you for the judgeship of the criminal court of the city of Atlanta.

"Mr. Berry's qualifications pre-eminently fit him for the position, and his large acquaintance with the citizens of the county, combined with his business ability, make his appointment particularly desirable to Fulton county. As one of the commissioners of this county, I therefore respectfully urge his appointment. With highest consideration, your obedient servant, "JOSEPH THOMPSON, "County Commissioner."

**Editor Constitution.**

"In reference to the application of Mr. John D. Berry for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta, to succeed Judge Westmoreland, I beg to say that from a long personal acquaintance with Mr. Berry I believe him to be fully qualified to perform the duties of this responsible position to the satisfaction of the bar and the people. I am not a lawyer, and know very little about legal procedure, but from what I know of Mr. Berry's ability, I am satisfied that he would fill the position in a thoroughly acceptable manner. He is a young gentleman, of splendid attainments, excellent character, and has the respect and confidence of the community. Very truly yours, CLARK HOWELL."

**County Commissioner.**

"I take pleasure in stating that Mr. Berry is a competent, faithful and popular attorney at the Atlanta bar, and is regarded by the general public as exceedingly bright and promising, and in all trusts reposed I am satisfied that he would be painstaking, conscientious and faithful. Yours truly, WALTER R. BROWN."

**County Commissioner.**

"Touching the appointment of a judge of the city court of Atlanta for the second division, to succeed Hon. T. P. Westmoreland, I have heretofore signed a petition requesting the appointment of Mr. H. M. Reid.

"In addition to this I wish to say in behalf of Mr. John D. Berry, the other applicant, that I regard him as one of the brainiest young men of my acquaintance. In my opinion he is amply endowed by nature to make a good judge. While belonging to the younger school of attorneys he is clear cut and clear headed and would fill the position with credit to himself and satisfaction to the public. Very respectfully, JACK J. SPALDING."

**Mayor-Elect King.**

"At the request of my friend, John D. Berry, I write to advise you that his standing at this bar and in this community is that of a first-class man and a good lawyer. Should you see proper to appoint him to the office of judge of the criminal court of Atlanta, I believe he is thoroughly competent to discharge the duties of the office, and would do so to the satisfaction of the bar and the people of the city.

"I have already signed a petition to Mr. Harry Reid, requesting him to apply to you to be appointed to the position above named, and I would not have this letter detract in any wise from the force of my request to Mr. Reid to make the application or to yourself to appoint him to the office named. Believe me, very truly yours, "PORTER KING."

**Ex-Congressman Hammond.**

"This letter is not intended in any way to change or modify what I have heretofore signed with respect to filling Judge Westmoreland's place on the bench of the city court of Atlanta. Its purpose is simply to say that I believe Mr. John D. Berry, of our bar, by character, habits of life and general and special learning as a lawyer, is qualified to fill that place with credit and efficiency. Respectfully, "N. J. HAMMOND."

**From Mr. P. F. Smith.**

"John D. Berry, a member of the Atlanta bar, will be a candidate for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta. Considering the knowledge which you already possess of this gentleman's fine legal attainments, it would seem to be superfluous that I should add anything in his favor. I have known him intimately since his admission to the bar, and have had excellent opportunities to form a correct estimate of his ability as a lawyer. Mr. Berry possesses, in an eminent degree, all the elements of a great lawyer. He is quick to perceive a legal truth and possesses fine discriminating power. He is thoroughly familiar with the decisions of our own courts and is well grounded in works of our best text writers. His judgment on questions of law is generally accurate and reliable and it gives me pleasure to say that he is a thoroughly equipped lawyer. I do him a single act of justice when I say that he would fill the position to which he aspires with credit to himself and to the entire satisfaction of the people. I have already signed the application of another applicant for the position, but this does not debar me the pleasure I take in commending Mr. Berry. I have the honor to be your excellency's obedient servant. Truly and respectfully, P. F. SMITH."

**Colonel W. T. Moyers.**

"Although I have signed a petition for the appointment of Hon. H. M. Reid to the judgeship of the criminal court of Atlanta, it gives me pleasure to say that John D. Berry is in every way competent to fill that position. His selection by you would be especially gratifying to me, and I believe would meet with general approval. I have the honor to be, sir, yours respectfully, W. T. MOYERS."

**Mr. Shubrick.**

"It gives me pleasure to endorse the application of Mr. John D. Berry for appointment to the vacant judgeship of the city court of Atlanta. Mr. Berry's legal training and abilities well qualify for the discharge of the duties of this office and I believe that his appointment to it would meet the approval of the bar and citizens. I have the honor to be very respectfully, "E. T. SHUBRICK."

**Mr. Morris Brandon.**

"I am interested as a citizen of Fulton county and as a member of the Atlanta bar in the appointment of judge of the criminal court of Atlanta and beg to recommend most cordially Mr. J. D. Berry for that position. I have known him for a number of years and think he is peculiarly fitted to make an admirable judge. He is quick, self-possessed, courageous, has a good command of language, a splendid idea of natural justice, is well versed in the law and I believe his appointment to that position would reflect credit on your excellency's administration and give satisfaction to the people and the bar. I express myself emphatically for the reason that I desire to give as strong as language can make it an emphatic endorsement of Mr. Berry's candidacy, the more especially as it has been charged in certain quarters that Mr. Berry's appointment would not meet with general approval. Yours very respectfully, MORRIS BRANDON."

**Ben J. Conyers.**

"I understand that Mr. John D. Berry will be an applicant for appointment as judge of the city court of Atlanta, and take this method of assuring you that I regard him, from my knowledge of his attainments and qualifications, as fully competent to discharge the duties of the position. Further, I am of the opinion that his appointment would meet general approval and give general satisfaction. Yours very respectfully. "BEN J. CONYERS."

**Editor Journal.**

"I desire to commend and endorse most heartily the application of Mr. John D. Berry for the office of judge of the city court of Atlanta.

"I have known Mr. Berry a long time and can testify to his character as a man and his ability as a lawyer. I believe that his acquirements and his culture combined with his high personal character would make him a model judge. I earnestly commend him to you. Respectfully. "F. H. RICHARDSON."

**Representative from Fulton.**

"Mr. John D. Berry is an applicant for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta. While I have endorsed Mr. H. M. Reed for that position, still I have no hesitancy in saying that Mr. Berry is fully competent and I believe that his appointment would give general satisfaction. I have the honor, sir, to be respectfully yours, ARNOLD BROYLES, "Attorney at Law."

**Colonel W. C. Glenn.**

"As you are aware there are two applicants for the office of judge of the city court, the vacancy occurring on the expiration of the time of Hon. Thomas P. Westmoreland. I have already signed the application of Colonel Harry M. Reid. While this is true, I take pleasure in stating that I believe Mr. John D. Berry to be fully competent to discharge the duties of the position, and I believe that he would make an acceptable judge. I believe his appointment would give satisfaction to the community and that Mr. Berry would fully sustain himself and the appointing power in discharging the duties of that office. Yours very truly, "W. C. GLENN."

**Ex-Solicitor General.**

"It is with great pleasure that I add my testimony to the qualifications of J. D. Berry for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta. He seems to me to possess the judicial temparament and to be able to hear two sides without being a partisan of either. His abilities are unquestioned; his character above reproach and his appointment would gratify a host of friends. Yours very truly, "A. H. COX."

**United States Commissioner.**

"I most cordially endorse the candidacy of Mr. John D. Berry for the city court judgeship of Atlanta several weeks ago, and before Mr. Berry had announced his candidacy. Mr. H. M. Reid's petition was presented to me and I signed it. I have been associated with Mr. Berry as a member of the Atlanta bar and consider him a very able lawyer and well qualified to fill the position which he seeks. Most respectfully, N. R. BROYLES."

**United States District Attorney.**

"It affords me pleasure to say to you that I am well acquainted with Mr. J. D. Berry, both as a gentleman and a lawyer, and that I believe him well qualified to acceptably discharge the duties of judge of the city court. While I have signed the application of Hon. H. M. Reid for appointment to this position, I believe Mr. Berry's appointment would meet the approbation of a very great number of the members of the bar who practice in the city court of Atlanta and of the public. Very respectfully, J. S. JAMES."

**Ex-United States Attorney.**

"Mr. John D. Berry, of this city, informs me that he will be an applicant for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta, to succeed Judge Westmoreland. I have known Mr. Berry since his residence in Atlanta and I regard him as a lawyer of learning and ability and well qualified to discharge the duties of the office he wishes. He is deservedly popular with the younger members of the bar, and I believe his appointment would be entirely satisfactory, both to the profession and to the people generally. To myself it would be a matter of very great personal gratification and I most warmly and sincerely commend him to your most favorable consideration. Very respectfully, "BENJAMIN H. HILL."

**Ex-Member Legislature.**

"Understanding that Mr. John D. Berry will be an applicant for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta, to succeed Judge Westmoreland, I desire to offer my testimony of Mr. Berry's worth and fitness for the position. I have known him now for a number of years and from constant association with him feel myself able to testify to his possession of the ability and requirements necessary to make an excellent judge. I consider him a man of legal attainments very much greater than the ordinary, and of cultivation and learning extraordinary in a man of whatever position or profession in life. From my personal knowledge of him and the opinion of others, I am satisfied that his appointment as judge of the city court will secure to the state the services of a man more than amply qualified to fill the position. I know, too, that his appointment would give unqualified satisfaction to the people of this county and I sincerely hope that your excellency will see your way to place him in the position which he desires. Very respectfully, "JAMES F. O'NEILL."

**Assistant City Attorney.**

"I take much pleasure in recommending for appointment to the judgeship of the city court of Atlanta Mr. John D. Berry. I have known him intimately for a number of years, both in and out of the courtroom. I think I am very well acquainted with his capacity as a lawyer and his fitness to wear the judicial ermine. It is my opinion that he would fulfill the duties of that high office with great ability and that his conduct and career as judge of this court would be with great honor to himself and reflect credit upon his appointment. I am sure his appointment would give satisfaction to the bar of Atlanta and to the people generally. In fact, it would be a recognition of the young men of the state and would be highly pleasing, not only to that large element in Atlanta who compose a majority of the bar, but inspire hope in the other talented young men of the state. I am very truly your obedient servant, FULTON COLVILLE."

**United States Marshal.**

"I learn that John D. Berry is an applicant for the position of judge of one of the city courts of Atlanta, and in his interest I beg to say that I have known him since he came to Atlanta and have been associated with him in the trial of several important cases at Gainesville. I consider him a young lawyer of first-class ability and in every respect qualified and fitted for the position of judge. I feel sure that you would make no mistake in appointing him, and I earnestly ask you to do so. Yours very truly, "SAMUEL C. DUNLAP."

**County Attorney.**

"From a personal acquaintance with Mr. John D. Berry and a general knowledge of his attainments as a lawyer, I can commend him as being, in my judgment, well fitted, for his age, for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta. He has a high character for probity, and is, as I have reason to believe, a good lawyer. I know of no reason why his appointment to the position of judge of the city court would not give general satisfaction to the bar and people. His appointment would certainly be satisfactory to me, as a member of the Atlanta bar, having considerable practice in the city court. Truly, etc., "WILLIAM S. THOMAS."

"I concur in this statement of my partner. MILTON A. CANDLER."

**Ex-Judge Superior Court.**

"I write to recommend Mr. John D. Berry, a member of the Atlanta bar, for the position of judge of the city court of Atlanta, to be made vacant by the retirement of Hon. W. P. Westmoreland. Mr. Berry, in my opinion, is well qualified to fill this important position by reason of learning and ability, and I trust you may be able to bestow the position upon him. Very truly yours, "HENRY B. TOMPKINS."

**Solicitor General.**

"It gives me sincere pleasure to endorse Mr. John D. Berry, who is an applicant for the judgeship of the Atlanta criminal court. This is more than a formal endorsement. I have known Mr. Berry for a number of years and I know him to be thoroughly qualified for the office he seeks. I believe that his appointment would reflect credit on your administration. I ask you to appoint him because I think he is eminently fit for the position. Sincerely yours, C. D. HILL."

**Ex-State Senator.**

"I understand that Mr. J. D. Berry, of the Atlanta bar, will be an applicant for the position now filled by Judge T. P. Westmoreland, judge of the second division of the city court of Atlanta.

"Mr. Berry possesses those qualifications which will fit him for the position. He has studied the law as a science and is well founded in its great principles—the one great requisite of a judge. His practice in the courts for a number of years makes him familiar with not only the principles of the law, but its practice. He is in the vigor of young manhood, diligent, industrious, broad-minded, with liberal education, prompted by a laudable ambition to win distinction on the bench, he would give to its duty the best efforts of his life. Such a man, actuated by such motives, cannot fail to make an acceptable judicial officer. Yours truly, "P. H. BREWSTER."

**Mr. E. N. Broyles.**

"As Judge Westmoreland, the present incumbent, will not offer for reappointment as judge of the criminal court of Atlanta, it affords me pleasure to say a word in behalf of Mr. John D. Berry, who is, I learn, an applicant for said position. I know Mr. Berry well. He is a young lawyer of ability and extensive experience in the practice of his profession. As a lawyer and a man he stands high among his professional brethren in Atlanta and in society. In a word he is well qualfied for the discharge of the duties of said office and his appointment would give general satisfaction and his many friends would feel very grateful for the honor so conferred. Very respectfully, "E. N. BROYLES."

**From Judge Dorsey.**

"I take pleasure in saying that I have known Mr. John D. Berry quite well since he has been a member of the bar of Atlanta. I have had the best of opportunities for judging his capacity as a lawyer and state a well-known fact when I say that he is one of the best read and brightest members of the Atlanta bar.

"I have no hesitancy in stating my belief that he would fill the office of judge of the city court of Atlanta with ability and entire satisfaction to the people of his county. Yours truly, R. T. DORSEY."

**Judge J. K. Hines.**

"I cheerfully recommend John D. Berry, who is an applicant for the judgeship of the second division of the city court of Atlanta, as an able lawyer and a gentleman of character. His appointment would give general satisfaction. Yours most respectfully, JAMES K. HINES."

**Ex-Judge Clarke.**

"Being informed that Mr. John Berry, of Atlanta, will be a candidate for the judgeship of the criminal court in this city and being requested to express my opinion of his fitness for the office, I take pleasure in saying that in my judgment he has the capacity and learning requisite to the successful discharge of the duties of the position. "MARSHALL J. CLARKE."

**Ex-Judge Superior Court.**

"Long and intimate acquaintance with John D. Berry in the practice of the law thoroughly familiarized me with his legal capacity and professional attainments. His mind is pre-eminently judicial in cast and is at once active, strong and discriminating, enabling him easily to grasp the law and facts of a case. He is industrious, painstaking, ambitious and admirably equipped in capacity and legal learning for judicial position. If appointed city judge I have not a doubt but that he will discharge the duties of the office to the entire satisfaction of the bar and people. Indeed I believe he will adorn the office and reflect credit upon the appointment. With high consideration, yours truly, "JOHN S. BIGBY."

**Judge United States Court.**

"Without taking any part whatever in the contest for the judgeship of the city court of Atlanta, or expressing any preference in reference thereto, I take pleasure in stating that Mr. John D. Berry is, in my opinion, qualified for the discharge of the duties of that position. He has good ability, an excellent education and right, in my opinion, to discharge creditably and satisfactorily the duties of the position named. I am yours very respectfully, "WILLIAM T. NEWMAN."

**Mr. John C. Reed.**

"As a member of the law partnership of Bigby, Reed & Berry, formed in August, 1891, I first became acquainted with John D. Berry as a lawyer. We prepared and tried many cases together before that partnership was dissolved, September 1, 1893, and since that dissolution we have wound up much of its business together, besides disposing of many cases of our own independent of the partnership. I am confident I have had every opportunity to find out Mr. Berry, both as a man and a lawyer. I regard him as an able lawyer. His special forte is the judicial character of his mind. He finds what is the controlling point of a case with great quickness and decides upon it with skill and accuracy. In this peculiarity he shows that he has the especial faculty indispensable to a good judge.

"He is well educated and fully up to the mark in all information called for by our times. His instincts and affections are wholly on the side of right and justice.

"Take him all in all I know of no man who, in my judgment, is better qualified for a judgeship. It gives me pleasure to say to you that I believe his appointment will satisfy all good people, and that his subsequent discharge of the duties of the office will increase their satisfaction. Yours respectfully, JOHN C. REED."

**Supreme Court Justice.**

"It gives me very great pleasure to recommend to your most favorable consideration, for the office of judge of the city court of Atlanta, Mr. John D. Berry. He is a lawyer of decided ability and marked attainments and is a gentleman of high character and standing and irreproachable integrity. In my opinion there can be no doubt that, if appointed to this place, he would discharge its duties efficiently, promptly and most satisfactorily. His application, I learn, will be highly endorsed by many others, and I beg leave to add my testimonial in his favor to the rest. Your obedient servant, "SAMUEL LUMPKIN."

**Judge Supreme Court.**

"I learn that John D. Berry will be an applicant for appointment to the position of judge of the criminal branch of the city court of Atlanta. Without presuming to suggest to your excellency the propriety of his appointment I beg you will permit me to say of him that I have had the pleasure of an acquaintance with Mr. Berry extending through several years, and that in point of character and equipment I cheerfully commend him to your favorable consideration as one entirely worthy of your confidence and one whose administration of this public trust, if appointed, would do credit to your administration. I have the honor to be with great respect your obedient servant, "SPENCER R. ATKINSON."

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It is now certain that three of the largest houses of the season will welcome the French opera to Atlanta next Monday and Tuesday. The first opera to be given Monday night will be Donizetti's "La Favorite," with the following cast:

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| Ferdinand | Booni |
| Le Roi | Soum |
| Balthazar | Chavaroche |
| Gaspar | Warnoux |
| Lenora | Mme. Dargissoune |
| Inez | Auge |

The French opera house's own orchestra, of some twenty pieces, under the direction of Mr. De Wertz, will be a feature of the engagement.

The New Orleans Truth, of December 12th, said of the production of "Les Huguenots," which was given there Tuesday night of this week:

"After witnessing the enthusiastic recalls of the singers of Dureiu's company in 'The Huguenots' last night, the spectators that packed the opera were certainly proud of the result, for in no city in America are such performances given with so much regularity and perfection.

"The recalls were so numerous that the performance could be called an ovation. From the second act to the ending of the fourth act, the leading singers in the opera were loudly applauded at each passage. Mme. Laville, in her great duo with Marcel (Charvaroche) shared the success with our great basso. In the third and fourth acts the singing was simply grand, and Mme. Laville, Anasty, the tenor, and Chavaroche, the basso, again scored an immense round of applause. Soun, the baritone, was perfection itself, and Wereis Guillien, as St. Bris, showed once more that he is a great artist. Mlle. Darcy shared the successful performance in all her numbers. In all, the first performance of 'The Huguenots' will go down in the history of the French Opera house as one of the grandest ever given."

"Le Barbier de Seville" is announced for the matinee Tuesday, and Meyerbeer's grand production of "Les Huguenots" will be given Tuesday night.

**The Brownies in the South.**

From The Memphis Evening Scimitar, Saturday, October 6, 1894.

The much-heralded "Brownies in Fairyland" received its initial presentation at the Auditorium last night in the presence of over 2,000 people and proved a most enjoyable entertainment. The efforts of those who have worked faithfully for quite a period of time to perfect the little ones in their respective roles proved effectual, and a smooth, graceful and even gorgeous spectacular operetta has resulted. It was a revelation to many to know that children of so tender an age could interpret the difficult roles contained in "The Brownies in Fairyland." Little tots not five years of age spoke lines of considerable length, while the older children acquitted themselves in a manner that would do credit to a professional. Songs, dances, specialties, marches, grand ensembles and burlesque work complete as clever an amateur entertainment as has ever been presented in the city. The audience was enthusiastic and libraly applauded the efforts of the little entertainers, who have been so carefully trained.

American women are said to be growing taller. The effect of good cooking—prepared with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

### MRS. CORLEY'S FUNERAL.

**It Takes Place at Oakland This Afternoon.**

The funeral of Mrs. Agnes Corley, who died at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, will occur at 1 o'clock this afternoon from the residence on Bradley avenue. The remains will be interred in Oakland cemetery.

Mrs. Corley was the wife of Mr. James C. Corley, and a devout Christian lady. She was a member of the First Methodist church, and had a large circle of friends in Atlanta. She and Mr. Corley had been married hardly more than a year and her death under such circumstances, is rendered all the more sad.

**Notice.**

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by Dayton Hale, et al. at the next meeting of the general council of the city of Atlanta on Monday, the 17th instant, in behalf of the Atlanta Electric Railway Company (to be incorporated) for the right to build, construct and operate an electric railroad over the following streets of said city: From city limits along Capitol avenue to Bass street, along Bass street to Crew street, and from the city limits on the south side along Pryor street a part of one block, running parallel with the Consolidated that distance to Vassar street, along Vassar street to Crew street, along Crew street to Capitol place, along Capitol place to Capitol avenue, along Capitol avenue to Piedmont avenue, along Piedmont avenue to Gilmer street, along Gilmer street over the Atlanta Traction Company's track two blocks (or alongside of same) to Ivy street, along Ivy street to Auburn avenue and over Auburn avenue to Pryor street and along Pryor street to Wall street, along Auburn avenue to Peachtree and across Peachtree street and along Poplar street to Cone street, along Cone street to Church street, along Church street to Williams street, along Williams street to North avenue, along North avenue to Juniper street, along Juniper street to city limits. DAYTON HALE.

Atlanta, Ga., December 13, 1894.

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### ROLLING PALACES.

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The Southern railway (Piedmont Air-Line) has made a most gratifying success of its vestibule limited train service to Washington, New York and the east. This train has now been in operation some four years, and has established for itself an enviable reputation, not only for its affording the highest degree of comfort, but for its regularity of schedule upon which it is operated.

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# SEVERAL SENT UP.

## Palmer Pease, Preacher by Trade, Sentenced for Forgery.

## TWO GIVEN FIVE YEARS FOR BURGLARY

### Out of Three Cases Disposed of Yesterday Two Were Turned Loose—No Courts in Session Today.

Judge Richard Clark disposed of a number of notorious negroes yesterday and sent them to the penitentiary for terms of several years each.

Palmer Pease, who is one of the shrewdest criminals in the state, was sentenced yesterday to four years in the penitentiary. Pease claims to be a preacher, but was more proficient as a forger, and it was for this offense that he was convicted. He has been arrested not less than a dozen times, but has managed heretofore to get out of his troubles with but a light sentence from the city court.

Pease came into court with his head bandaged with a large red bandanna. He carried a Bible under one arm and wore an exceedingly sanctified look and a suit of tattered clothes. When he sentenced Pease, Judge Clark said that he thought it would be a good idea for the principal keeper of the penitentiary to send both Pease and Jim Dabb, who attempted to conduct a prayer meeting in the courtroom yesterday morning, to the same camp, as they were religious enthusiasts.

George Wyatt and Sam Turner were two negroes who were sent up yesterday for five years each. They were convicted of burglary and will now work off their desire to possess the goods of others. Both men are well known in criminal circles. A motion for a new trial has been made in Wyatt's case.

Will Dickerson, who was convicted of adultery, although he was tried for bigamy, was yesterday sentenced to twelve months in the chaingang. Dickerson married a girl who was only eleven years old. At the time he had a wife living. When he was put on trial it was developed that he has served one term in the penitentiary. The lawyers for the defendant showed that the girl was not of an age where she could consent to enter matrimony, and on this technicality the defendant was found guilty of a lesser offense.

Two prisoners that received a fine of $50 and twelve months each were Will Jackson and Frank Gould. Jackson plead guilty to larceny from the house and Gould was found guilty of stabbing another.

**Three Cases Disposed Of.**

Three cases were disposed of yesterday in the criminal superior court. In one instance there was a conviction and on the other two cases there were verdicts of not guilty.

William Hill was found guilty of burglary, but sentence has not been imposed. Jim Brogden was found not guilty of the same charge and Walter Berry was found not guilty of robbery.

Criminal court adjourned yesterday morning until Monday. There are only a number of minor criminal cases to be disposed of, though there will probably be several motions of importance heard before Christmas.

A toothsome lunch for the fishing excursion can be best prepared with Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

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# RAILROAD SCHEDULES.

**Showing the Arrival and Departure of All Trains from This City—Central Time.**

**CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA.**

| ARRIVE. | | DEPART. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| From Hapeville | 6 45 am | To Hapeville | 6 40 am |
| §From Savannah | 7 45 am | To Hapeville | 6 50 am |
| From Hapeville | 8 15 am | §To Savannah | 7 30 am |
| From Hapeville | [illegible] 45 am | To Hapeville | 8 30 am |
| From Macon | 11 [illegible]0 am | To Hapeville | 12 15 pm |
| From Hapeville | [illegible] 00 pm | To Hapeville | 2 45 pm |
| From Hapeville | [illegible] 15 pm | §To Macon | 4 25 pm |
| From Hapeville | [illegible] 05 pm | To Hapeville | 4 45 pm |
| From Hapeville | 7 20 pm | To Hapeville | 6 10 pm |
| §FromSavannah | 8 05 pm | §To Savannah | 6 55 pm |
| Following Trains Sunday only | | Following Trains Sunday only: | |
| From Hapeville | 10 40 am | To Hapeville | 9 00 am |
| §From Hapeville | 2 45pm | To Hapeville | 12 50 pm |

**WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| §From Nashville | 7 00 am | §To Nashville | 8 05 am |
| From Marietta | 8 30 am | §To Chattanooga | 2 00 pm |
| From Rome | 10 50 a m | To Rome | 4 00 p m |
| §From Chatt'n'ga | 12 25 pm | To Marietta | 5 30 pm |
| §From Nashville | 6 25 pm | §To Nashville | 8 20 pm |

**ATLANTA AN WEST POINT RAILROAD.**

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| §From Montg'm'y | 6 40am | §To Montgomery | 5 35 am |
| From Newnan | 8 20 am | To Manchester | 8 35 am |
| From Manchester | 10 30 am | To Palmetto | 11 55 am |
| §From Selma | 11 40 am | §To Montgomery | 1 30 pm |
| From Palmetto | 2 20 pm | To Manchester | 3 15 pm |
| From Manchester | 5 30 pm | §To Selma | 4 20 pm |
| §From Montg'm'y | 6 15 pm | To Newnan | 5 45 pm |
| Following Train Sunday only: | | Following Train Sunday only: | |
| From Newnan | 10 15 am | To Newnan | 5 10 pm |

**GEORGIA RAILROAD.**

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| §From Augusta | 5 30 am | §To Augusta | 7 15 am |
| From Covington | 7 43 am | §To Augusta | 3 00 pm |
| §From Augusta | 12 15 pm | §To Covington | 6 30 pm |
| §From Augusta | 6 00 pm | §To Augusta | 10 45 pm |

**SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY (PIEDMONT AIR-LINE.)**

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|---|---|---|---|
| §From Wash'gton | 5 20 am | §To Richmond | 8 00 am |
| †From Cornelia | 8 30 am | §To Washington | 12 00 m |
| §From Washington | 3 55 pm | †To Cornelia | 4 35 pm |
| §From Richmond | 9 30 pm | §To Washington | 9 00 pm |

**SOUTHERN RAILWAY (WESTERN SYSTEM.)**

| No. | | No. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 31 Frm Cincinnati | 11 35 pm | 32 To Cincinnati | 4 05 am |
| 32 Frm Jacks'ville | 3 55 am | 31 To Jacksonville | 11 45 pm |
| 37 Frm Chattan'ga | 1 59 pm | 38 To Chatanooga | 2 00 pm |
| 38 Frm Bruunswick | 11 45 am | 37 To Brunswick | 4 10 pm |
| 38 From Jaxville | 11 45 am | 37 To Jaxville | 4 10 pm |
| 38 Frm Rome | 10 45 am | 34 To Chattanooga | 7 30 am |
| 36 From Macon | 8 50 pm | 35 To Macon | 7 00 am |
| 45 Frm Tallapoosa | 8 50 am | 44 To Tallapoosa | 5 00 pm |
| 41 Frm Birmin'h'm | 11 40 am | 40 To Birmingham | 4 10 pm |
| 43 Frm G'nv'le M's | 8 50 pm | 42 To Gr'nv'le, Miss | 6 00 am |

**SEABOARD AIR-LINE. (GEORGIA, CAROLINA AND NORTHERN DIVISION.)**

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|---|---|---|---|
| From Elberton | 8 00 am | §To Monroe | 7 15am |
| §From Washingt'n | 4 09 pm | §To Washington | 12 00 m |
| §From Monroe | 6 45 pm | To Elberton | 3 45pm |

**GEORGIA MIDLAND AND GULF. (VIA CENTRAL RAILROAD TO GRIFFIN)**

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| From Columbus | 11 30 am | To Columbus | 7 30 am |
| From Columbus | 8 05 pm | To Columbus | 4 25 pm |

**ATLANTA AND FLORIDA RAILROAD.**

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| From Ft. Valley | 11 00 am | To Fort Valley | 2 30 pm |

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| NORTHBOUND. | | | SOUTHBOUND. | |
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| No. 38. Daily. | No. 403. Daily. | Central Time Daily and Sunday | No 403 Daily | Daily No. 41 |
| 7 15 am | 12 00 m | Lv.. Atlanta ...Ar<br>U. Depot, City T'e. | [illegible] pm | 6 45pm |
| 8 25 am | | Lv Lawrenceville | | 5 25 pm |
| 10 00 am | 2 28 pm | Lv.... Winder.. | 3 42 pm | 5 50 pm |
| 10 41 am | 3 03 pm | Lv.... Athens ..Ar | 3 08 pm | 6 03 pm |
| 11 45 am | 4 01 pm | Ar.. Elberton ..Lv | 2 04 pm | 4 10 pm |
| 12 35 pm | 4 55 pm | Ar Abbeville Lv | 1 10 pm | 3 02 pm |
| 1 18 pm | 6 23 pm | Ar Greenwood Lv | 12 48 pm | 2 32 pm |
| 2 15 pm | 6 08 pm | Ar.. Clinton ..Lv | 12 04 pm | 1 20 pm |
| 4 06 pm | 7 23 pm | Ar.. Chester ..Lv | 10 51 am | 11 44am |
| 5 35 pm | 8 45 pm | Ar.... Monroe.. Lv | 9 37 am | 10 10am |
| ...... | 1 30 am | Lv.. Raleigh ..Lv | 5 22 am | ...... |
| ...... | 2 33 am | Ar.. Henders'n.Lv | 4 10 am | ...... |
| ...... | 4 05 am | Ar... Weldon.. Lv | 2 48 am | ...... |
| ...... | 6 00 am | Ar Petersburg Lv | 12 55 am | ...... |
| ...... | 6 43 am | Ar Richmond Lv | 12 23 am | ...... |
| ...... | 10 45 am | Ar Wash'gton Lv | 8 30 pm | ...... |
| ...... | 12 00 m | Ar Baltimore Lv | 7 31 pm | ...... |
| ...... | 2 20 pm | Ar Phil'delp'ia Lv | 4 41 pm | ...... |
| ...... | 4 53 pm | Ar New York Lv | 3 20 pm | ...... |
| ...... | 9 45pm | Ar.. Charlotte ..Lv | 5 30 am | ...... |
| ...... | 7 50am | Ar Wilmingt'n Lv | 7 30 pm | ...... |
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| ...... | 5 10 am | Ar Phil'delp'ia Lv | 11 10 pm | ...... |
| ...... | 7 43 am | Ar New York Lv | 8 10 pm | ...... |
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| ...... | 6 30 am | Ar Wash'gton Lv | 7 00 pm | ...... |

*Daily except Sunday.

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The following schedule in effect September 20, 1894:

| SOUTH BOUND. | No. 37. Daily. | No. 33. Daily. | No. 35. Daily. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv Atlanta. | 4 20 p m | 1 30 p m | 5 35 a m |
| Ar Newnan. | 5 28 p m | 3 10 p m | 6 45 a m |
| Ar LaGrange. | 6 27 p m | [illegible] | 7 47 a m |
| Ar West Point. | 6 52 p m | 5 02 p m | 8 17 a m |
| Ar Opelika. | 7 33 p m | 5 48 p m | 9 02 a m |
| Ar Columbus. | ...... | 7 45 p m | 10 15 a m |
| Ar Montgomery. | 9 20 p m | 8 30 p m | 11 05 a m |
| Ar Pensacola. | 5 30 a m | ...... | 6 55 p m |
| Ar Mobile. | 3 05 a m | ...... | 5 20 p m |
| Ar. N. Orleans. | 7 35 a m | Sunday | 10 25 p m |
| Ar. Houston, Tex | 10 50 p m | only | ...... |
| Lv Atlanta. | 4 20 p m | | |
| Ar Selma. | 11 15 p m | | |
| NORTHBOUND | No. 34. Daily. | No. 38. Daily. | No. 36 Daily. |
| Lv N. Orleans | 11 00 a m | 7 50 p m | ...... |
| Lv Mobile. | 3 35 p m | 12 20 a m | ...... |
| Lv Pensacola. | 1 35 p m | 11 30 p m | ...... |
| Ar Montgomery | 8 45 p m | 6 10 a m | ...... |
| Lv Selma. | 4 00 p m | 4 35 a m | ...... |
| Lv Montgomery. | 11 00 p m | 6 20 a m | 11 30 a m |
| Lv Columbus. | ...... | ...... | 12 50 p m |
| Lv Opelika. | 2 00 a m | 8 19 a m | 2 03 p m |
| Ar West Point. | 2 03 a m | 8 55 a m | 2 52 p m |
| Ar LaGrange. | 3 39 a m | 9 24 a m | 3 25 p m |
| Ar Newnan. | 4 55 a m | 10 21 a m | 4 25 p m |
| Ar Atlanta. | 6 40 a m | 11 40 a m | 6 15 p m |

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OFFICE OF FULTON COUNTY BOARD of Commissioners of Roads and Revenues, November 30, 1894.—A petition having been filed in this office praying for an alteration in the Power's Ferry road as follows: From a point in the bend of the road near S. J. Mitchell's, 45 yards from the new Roswell road, thence along the new Roswell road to a point where the Power's Ferry road crosses the new Roswell road, 107 yards, and the road comsioners to whom the same was referred having reported recommending such change, this is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned that said alteration will be finally granted on the first Wednesday in January, 1895, if no good cause be shown to the contrary. JOHN T. COOPER, Clerk Com. R. & R.

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BROWNIE SHOW

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| Night prices, orchestra reserved | $1 00 |
| Orchestra circle, reserved | 75 |
| Admission, 50 cents; children | 25 |
| Balcony, first three rows, reserved | 75 |
| Balcony, admission, 50 cents; children | 25 |
| MATINEE. | |
| Orchestra, all reserved | 75 |
| Orchestra circle, 50 cents and 25 cents | |
| Balcony, reserved, 75 cents, three rows. | |
| Admission, 50 cents; children | 25 |

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Twenty-second year $15,000 of principal and $6,075 interest.

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Twenty-fourth year $15,000 of principal and $4,725 interest.

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Clerk Commissioners of R. and R.

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## The Chaingang Authorities Charged with Wanton Cruelty.

## THE GRAND JURY OF DODGE COUNTY

### Tells a Story That Reflects Strongly Upon the Conduct of the Laurens County Gang—A Petition for Pardon.

The necessity of some sort of supervision of the county chaingangs has been urged by Governor Northen and Governor Atkinson and has had strong advocates in the legislature for some time past, but nothing on that line has been done.

A letter received by the governor yesterday emphasized most strongly the need of such supervision.

The letter is from the clerk of the superior court of Dodge county and accompanying it is a record of the proceedings of the grand jury of that county, which tell the story.

Nat Porter is a boy eighteen years old, who was sent to the chaingang by Judge Herrmann, of the county court of Dodge county, and sent to the Laurens county chaingang. He was charged with gaming and it was his second offense. A few days ago he was sent for by the court authorities to testify as a witness and his condition at that time showed that he had been most brutally treated.

**What the Grand Jury Says.**

The grand jury notice of the case is as follows:

"We, the grand jury of Dodge county, having had our attention called to a county convict, who was brought here as a witness, a minor by the name of Nat Porter, who has been confined in the Laurens county chaingang at Dublin, under sentence of the county judge of Dodge county and from examination of his body, we find the most unhuman and barbarous treatment upon his body.

"We find that by some instrument the flesh has been torn from his body, and the bare flesh left exposed in a large place and also torn and lacerated to such an extent that he cannot sit down and the wounds inflicted by the whipping boss caused ulcers, which may produce blood poison.

"His offense being only a misdemeanor, therefore, be it resolved, by the grand jury in a body assembled that we, together with our county judge, who has condemned this brutal and inhuman outrage, request his excellency, W. Y. Atkinson, to pardon this convict. We believe he has suffered more than is sufficient and is now suffering untold agony and pain from his cruel and brutal castigation by the employes or officers of the chaingang of Chatham & Rayford, located at Dublin; and we respectfully further request the governor to investigate this barbarous and inhuman treatment and have the authorities prosecute the parties who are legally responsible for this cruel and shameful outrage that would disgrace any civilized government.

"MICHAEL L. BIRCH, Foreman.
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The application is endorsed by Judge Herrmann, County Clerk Rawlings and Judge John J. Hunt, who was presiding in Dodge county at the time the examination was made.

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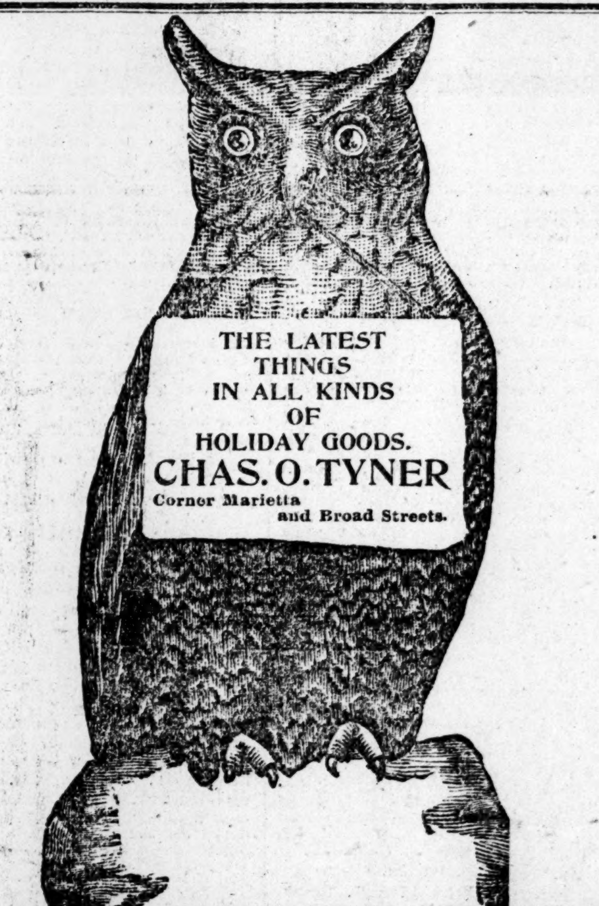

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